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DALY—July 10, 1926, at Lough Mask House, The Neale, County Mayo, to Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Daly, a daughter.

FINLAY—July 14, 1926, the wife of the late F. W. Finlay, Ulster Bank, Ballyconnell, of a son.

MOORE—July 19, 1926, to Mr. and Mrs. Moore, Bank House, Mallow, a daughter.

O'REILLY—July 20, 1926, at 40 Upper Fitzwilliam street, to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert J. O'Reilly, 109 Anglesea road, Donnybrook, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

BUCKNEY and MORRISON—July 16, 1926, at Rangoon, Frank Buckney, Imperial Custom Service, to Violet Eileen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Beamish Morrison, Glenageary, County Dublin.

DOYLE and DUGGAN—July 7, 1926, at St. Patrick's Church, Monkstown, County Dublin, by the Rev. Fr. Bowen, C.C., Charles Brendan, only son of Mrs. Doyle and the late Thomas Doyle, Ballybough road, to Marian, eldest daughter of the late Michael and Mrs. Duggan, Mayo Abbey. No cards.

GOGAN and RYAN—July 14, 1926, at St. Columba's, Iona road, with Nuptial Mass, by the Rev. T. J. Farrell, C.C., Pro-Cathedral (cousin of bridegroom), John, second son of the late Thomas Gogan and Mrs. Gogan, 11 Maxwell road, Rathgar, to Mary (May), eldest daughter of Michael and Mrs. Ryan, 102 Clonliffe road, Dublin. American and Colonial papers please copy.

REID and PROST—July 14, 1926, at St. Ann's Church, Dawson street, Dublin, by the Rev. Canon Crozier, M.A., William Austin Reid, eldest son of John C. W. Reid, Glendower, Bangor, County Down, to Eva G., youngest daughter of M. G. Prost, Belvaux, Argyle road, Herbert Park, Dublin.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 6.

BETTY—July 19, 1926, at Private Nursing Home, Dublin, Dr. Moore Betty, of Fort Lodge, Enniskillen. Funeral to-day (Wednesday) at 2.30 p.m. from Fort Lodge to New Cemetery.

BOLAND—July 19, 1926, at her residence, Tigh Lorcain Hall, Stillorgan, Mary (née Cullen), widow of the late James J. Boland. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing children and relatives. R.I.P. Funeral strictly private.

BYRNE—July 19, 1926, at her residence, 128 Prince's road, Liverpool, Mary, widow of the late John Byrne, J.P., and beloved mother of Mrs. T. Condren Flinn.

CAMPBELL—July 20, 1926, at Rush, Catherine Ade Sarah (June), aged 13 months, dearly-loved baby daughter of Kathie and Alf. Campbell, 14 Fairfield road, Glasnevin. "Thy will be done." Funeral private.

DROUGHT—July 18, 1926, at Southsea, Annie, widow of Robert Seymour Drought, of Ridgemount, King's County, and Pembroke, Passage West, Cork, aged 81. "Asleep in Jesus."

HEWITT—July 16, 1926, at his residence, Granahan Castle, Newmarket-on-Fergus, Robert Hewitt. "Peace, perfect peace."

IRWIN—July 18, 1926, at Gardener's House, Roddens, Ballywalter, Down, Robert Irwin, infant (twin) son of James and Annie Irwin.

KEEGAN—July 19, 1926, at Mounttown, Dun Laoghaire, Joseph Keegan, last surviving son of the late Thomas and Elizabeth Keegan. R.I.P. Funeral from Monkstown Church, after 10 o'clock Mass, this (Wednesday) morning. Prayers. No flowers, by request.

MORRIS—July 19, 1926, at Innyard, Fethard, County Wexford, Elizabeth Anne, dearly-loved wife of William Morris, in her 88th year. Funeral private.

MURPHY—July 19, 1926, at Canada House, Waterford, Samuel J. Murphy, late Master, School of Art, Waterford, aged 75 years. Funeral from the Cathedral at 3 o'clock to-day (Wednesday) for the Cemetery.

PIM—July 19, 1926, in a Nursing Home, Sarah Helena Pim, of 3 Florence terrace, Bray. Funeral, Hascombe, Surrey, to-day (Wednesday) 2.30.

RUSSELL—July 20, 1926, at Private Nursing Home, Charles Francis, aged 12 days, son of Colonel and Mrs. Russell.

WALSH—July 20, 1926, Charlotte, beloved daughter of the late John and Mary Walsh, 4 North Great Charles street, Dublin, aged 22 years. "To be with Christ, which is far better." Funeral from above address to-morrow (Thursday) morning to George's Burial Ground.

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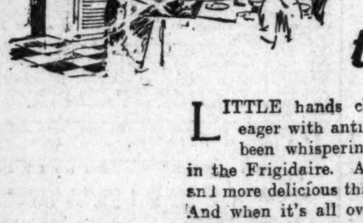

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LOST, last Saturday, at Leopardstown Races, at top of Motor Enclosure, a small Gold Pencil; reward. N 678, this office. 19 O

LOST, Greystones beach, Sunday, Gold Watch, on green strap, also Pearl Necklace. Reward Sharavogue, Greystones. 19 O

LOST, Friday, 16th, Diamond Bar Brooch, between Baily and Sutton. Good reward.—Macouchy, Rathmore, Baheny.

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LOST off the Lands of Brackenstown, Swords, on Wednesday, 14th July, one Heifer. Reward 31 Manor street, Dublin. 20 E

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WANTED, Architect's Assistant; must be good draughtsman. Address, stating qualifications and salary expected, "Z 3140, Assistant," this office. 16 C

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ASSISTANT required (Male); outdoor; state wages, age, references.—Young, Chemist, Newbridge. D

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REFINED Girl, 19, wishes post, Companion or Lady Help; highly recommended; interview Greystones or Dublin.—F 33, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. C

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MARRIED Couple, would go indoor to family two; good references; country preferred. Address "Z 3245, Couple," this office. 20 D

MARRIED Man seeks situation as Working Herd; life experience; highest testimonials. Address "Z 3247, Man," this office. 20 D

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TWO young, active Working Herds seek engagements; thoroughly understand their business; highly recommended. Address "Z 3246, Herds," this office. 20 F

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GARDENER, experienced, has a few days to spare; excellent reference.—N 697, this office. 16 O

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WANTED by a middleaged respectable R.C. Man, situation as Gardener and General Man.—Patrick Brady, Ballinabools, Ballynabools, Co. Wexford.

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DOMESTICS WANTED.

A RESPECTABLE, steady Girl Wanted to do light Housework and mind children; outdoor; 8/- weekly; North side. Address "Z 2342, Girl," this office.

WANTED immediately, strong, respectable Woman, to care convalescent lady and help with two children, aged six and seven; short country holiday, Dublin later. Reply, stating age, wages, and experience, N 789, this office.

WANTED, Working Housekeeper, single gentleman farmer, country; send references.—Ruskell, Ballyrichard, Arklow. E

COOKS AND DAIRYMAIDS WANTED.

ENGLAND—Good Cook Wanted, August 3rd; 3 servants kept; family 4 (aged over 25); wages £36 to £40; send copies. Address "Z 3229, Cook," this office.

GOOD Cook General Wanted early August; state age and wages. Apply Davis, Braganza, Dalkey. D

GOOD Cook General required for country, age 30-35; good wages to a suitable person; good plain cook, well recommended. Address "Z 3186, Cook General," this office. 19 E

WANTED, Cook and Housemaid; both must be efficient, and good references. Apply Cowslip Lodge, Bettystown.

WANTED, Co. Kildare, Cook General, R.C.; parlourmaid kept; send references; state age and wages. Address "Z 3227, General," this office. 20 F

WANTED for August, Temporary Maid, good cook, reliable; references.—N 769, this office.

WANTED, Woman, Second Cook; must be expert carver. Interview 3 o'clock, Thursday, Irish Times Registry.

WANTED for Carlow, first week in August, experienced Cook and House Parlourmaid; three in family; good wages to competent maids. Address "Z 3232, Cook," this office. 20 D

YOUNG Protestant Cook Wanted, Dublin suburbs; three maids kept.—N 627, this office. 17 D

YOUNG Cook General Wanted; some washing.—Mrs. Downey, Foxrock House, Foxrock. 19 C

GENERALS WANTED.

CLONTARF—Wanted, settled, capable General Servant; accustomed to children. Apply by letter, 25 Vernon Gardens. E

GOOD General, about 25, for Birmingham family. Address "Z 3145, General," this office. 17 D

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WANTED, capable General, age 25, plain cooking; £18.—J 18, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

WANTED, trustworthy Protestant General, Foxrock, quiet family of two. Address "Z 3175, General," this office. D

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WANTED, superior General, entire work small modern house, Donnybrook; must be good cook; age 30-35; two in family; wages £30-£35.—N 781, this office. 20 D

WANTED, for 3rd August, trustworthy General Maid for elderly couple; comfortable home; good references essential.—W 21, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 20 D

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WANTED immediately, strong, capable General or Working Housekeeper for country; two in family; long discharges, wages expected. Address "Z 3252, General," this office.

YOUNG General Wanted, Morning work; Ballsbridge district.—N 688, this office. 19 C

HOUSE AND PARLOURMAID, WANTED.

CAN Lady recommend experienced R.C. Housemaid, good needlewoman? Wanted immediately, country, near Dublin; four maids kept; state age and wages expected.—Mrs. Louis Smith, Ballawley Park, Dundrum, Co. Dublin. 20 F

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WANTED for England, end of August, thoroughly experienced Parlourmaid. Write Mrs. Laird, Abbotsleigh, S. Farnborough, Hants, sending references, ages, wages. Can interview Dublin middle August. Address "Z 3148, Parlourmaid," this office. 17 C

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NURSES WANTED.

AGENT for NURSES, MAIDS, and ATTENDANTS. Miss Bellingham Todd, 5 Grafton street, Dublin. Interviews daily. Tel. No. 5258. T

EXPERIENCED Nurse Wanted for Howth, four children. Reply, with reference, N 665, this office. 19 O

NURSE Housemaid Wanted; must be well recommended; two children; girl to train might suit.—N 684, this office. 19 E

WANTED, from August, Swiss or Irish Nurse Help, girl one year, infant later; good needlewoman, laundress preferred; travelling Canada and States essential, 1927. Reply, stating wages and references, Mrs. G. Douglas, Beltra, Ballysodare. 16 O

WANTED immediately, Nurse (R.C.), two children, 5 weeks and 2 years; must be experienced and thoroughly reliable; good wages suitable person. Address, stating age and enclosing copy reference, "Z 3171, Nurse," this office. D

WANTED, County Wexford, superior Nurse, I.C., take care boy 3½, infant later. Address, stating age, salary, and enclosing copies references, "Z 3177, Nurse," this office. D

WANTED, Nurse, R.C., four children; good needlewoman, laundress, own nurseries; great help given. Reply, with age, wages, copies, N 658, this office. 19 O

WANTED, trustworthy country Girl as Children's Nurse; must be well recommended. Apply N 813, this office.

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ENGLAND—Experienced Kitchenmaid, able to cook, Wanted, August 3rd; wages £30; aged over 25; state references.—Mrs. R., Red House, Sherborne, Dorset.

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AT Sackville Registry, 48 Lower O'Connell street—Ladies suited all classes Servants. T

A RESPECTABLE Person wishes Daily Work; could mind an invalid lady; highly recommended.—4, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge.

FARMER'S Daughter, Working Housekeeper, Superior General, private, business men; excellent papers.—1956, Irish Times Branch Office, Blackrock.

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SMART young General in small family; two years and ten months in last place; highest reference. Address "Z 3252, General," this office.

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EXPERIENCED Housemaid, disengaged, seeks situation, city, suburbs; good papers.—N 333, this office.

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EXPERIENCED Children's Nurse seeks afternoon work, care children or invalid lady; versatile; good references.—N 747, this office.

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TO Let (Unfurnished), South Dublin, Bungalow Residence, detached, on about five acres; four reception rooms, five bedrooms, two maids' rooms, bathroom, etc.; garage, dairy, fowl run, numerous outoffices; rent £130 and rates. Apply Prim Bros., 21 Dawson street. 20 D

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GENTLEMAN wants Self-contained Flat, preferably furnished; South side; state particulars, rent, etc.—N 593, this office. 16 C

GENTLEMAN requires Bedroom, with use sittingroom, South side; breakfast, dinner; telephone desirable; state terms; say if other boarders.—N 655, this office. 19 E

TWO ladies wish to go, permanently, Paying Guests (one as partial); separate beds; South side; terms essential.—R O 991, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 20 D

WANTED, Furnished Flat, three in family (adults); rent moderate.—N 581, this office. 16 C

WANTED, Unfurnished Flat, self contained; garden; full particulars; South side preferred.—N 618, this office. 17 D

WANTED, August or later, comfortable Furnished Flat, near Phoenix Park or elsewhere; adults; permanent if suitable. Address "Z 3170, Flat," this office.

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SEASIDE AND COUNTRY.

HOUSES TO LET AND WANTED.

AUGUST spend at exhilarating Greystones—Many charming Villas available.—Arthur Jones, Son, Greystones. Phone, One. 20 9

AT Greystones—To Let, for August, Furnished Bungalow, containing three bedrooms, sittingroom, kitchen, and bathroom; nicely situated; seven minutes' walk from sea and twenty from station; 16 guineas. Apply Devereux, The Bridge, Redford, Greystones. 16 C

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BALBRIGGAN—Fancourt, Furnished House, facing sea; August £16, September £10. Apply Owner. 14 C

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SEASIDE AND COUNTRY CONTINUED

BRAY—Advertisements for "Irish Times" will be received by Miss McCann, 96 Main street, Bray. X

BRAY—Furnished Cottage to Let, August; £9.—Room 4, 10 Nassau street. 20 F

BRAY—Cottage to Let for August; 2 bedrooms, 1 sittingroom, kitchen, gas cooker, electric light; close to sea.—763, Irish Times Branch Office, Bray.

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HOWTH Hill—To Let, August, Furnished House, 7 apartments, garden, garage, moderate.—N 811, this office.

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MALAHIDE—To Let, Furnished, for August, charming detached modern House, moderate. Apply O'Hanlon, Innisfallen, Malahide. 20 F

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SUTTON, on sea front—Furnished House, August, September; tennis court; moderate.—N 646, this office. D

SUTTON (sea front)—Furnished House to Let, August. N 783, this office. 20 F

TO Let by the year, Unfurnished compact House, 2½ from Avoca, 4 from Arklow; near golf and fishing.—Bayly, Ballyarthur, Woodenbridge. F

LET, Furnished House, August, Ballsbridge; seven apartments, garage, garden; moderate.—N 714, this office.

TO Let, Furnished four roomed Cottage.—O'Connor, Woodbine, Yellow Walls, Malahide.

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TO Let, Unfurnished House, at Sandycove; all modern conveniences; rent £100.—"Unfurnished House," Walton's, Kingstown.

WANTED, Cottage, Bettystown, Malahide, or anywhere near sea, for August.—N 566, this office. 16 C

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WANTED, small House, Furnished or Unfurnished; Monkstown, Sandycove; permanency.—N 782, this office. 20 F

WANTED, Furnished Cottage or House, detached, country, within 15 miles Dublin; 5 rooms, including kitchen; £30 to £60 per annum; 2 persons, careful tenants.—R O 990, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

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APARTMENTS TO LET AND WANTED.

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DOUBLE Room Wanted, Horse Show week; Dalkey or Glenageary.—Adamson, Addinstown, Athboy. 19 E

DALKEY—To Let, Apartments in modern villa, conveniently situated; partial board, attendance; accommodation for small car; suit two friends dining out; quick tram service.—O., Winnett's, Dalkey. C

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FLAT, Kingstown, select neighbourhood; drawingroom, bedroom, kitchenette, very nice, moderate to refined tenants; furnished if desired.—G 15, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 16 C

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GREYSTONES—Comfortable Apartments in nicely situated house, with attendance; moderate; five minutes from sea.—Devereux, Redford. 20 F

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BROADCASTING.

TO-DAY.

DUBLIN (2RN)—397 Metres.

7.30—Irish Talk, Miceal O Maolain. 7.45—German Lesson. 8.0—Station Orchestra and Lambert Patterson (bass-baritone): "The Midshipmite" (Stephen Adams), "Reben Rauzo" (Eric Coates), "Over the Sea to Skye" (traditional), "Asleep in the Deep" (Petrie). 9.0—Songs, Maude Hunter (contralto): "All Things that we Clasp" (Bridge), "I Will Go with Father A-Ploughing" (Quilter), "Calm and Starry Night" (2nd group) (Debussy), "Peace" (Eric Fogg), "Four by the Clock" (Mallinson), "The Bitterness of Love" (Dunn). 9.20—Irish Songs, Tadhg MacFirbisigh (baritone). 9.30—Sketch, "Elly's Birthday," P. P. Ryan. 10.0—Station Orchestra in a Merry Half-Hour. 10.30—Weather Forecast and close down.

BELFAST (2BE)—440 Metres.

4.15—Afternoon Topics. 4.30—The Station Orchestra. 5.5—The Station Dance Band. 5.30—For the Children. 6.0—Alex. Fryer's Orchestra (S.B from London). 6.50—Royal Horticultural Society's Bulletin (S.B. from London). 7.0—Weather Forecast and News; Mr. Clifford Carter, "Origins of the Linen Trade." 7.25—Bach interpreted by Jean Baptiste Toner (S.B. from London). 7.40—Musical Interlude (S.B. from London). 8.0—Reginald Dobson (violoncello). 8.8—A. J. Ireland (baritone). 8.20—Alice Lilley (soprano). 8.32—Reginald Dobson. 8.40—Alice Lilley. 8.50—A. J. Ireland. 9.0—Programme S.B. from London. 9.30—Weather Forecast and News; Topical Talk (S.B. from London); Local News. 10.5—The London Radio Dance Band (S.B. from London). 10.20—Unannounced programme (S.B. from London). 11.0—Close down.

LONDON (2LO)—365 Metres.

1.0-2.0—Time Signal from Greenwich; Camille Couturier's Orchestra, relayed from Restaurant Frascati. 4.0—Time Signal from Greenwich; "Out of Doors," by A. Bonnet Laird. 4.15—The New Gallery Kinema Orchestra. 5.15—For the Children: The Aunts and Uncles Hold Another Corner. 6.0—Alex. Fryer's Orchestra, from the Rialto Theatre. 7.0—Time Signal from Big Ben, Weather Forecast and First General News Bulletin; Topical Talk. 7.25—Bach, interpreted by Jean Baptiste Toner. 7.40—Musical Interlude. 8.0—Italo Meschi (the Last of the Troubadours); Guitar Solo and the London Radio Dance Band. 8.30—"Pier Revels of 1926," a Concert Party Performance, relayed from Pier Music Pavilion, Eastbourne. 9.30—Weather Forecast and Second General News Bulletin; Topical Talk; Local Announcements. 10.5—The London Radio Dance Band. 10.20—Unannounced Programme; "The Long Day Closes." 11.0—Close down.

DAVENTRY (5XX)—1,600 Metres.

10.30 a.m.—Time Signal and Weather Forecast. 11.0-1.0—The Radio Quartet and Mabel Corran (contralto), Hubert Carter (tenor), Hilda Aldridge (violin). 1.0-2.0, 4.0-6.0—Programmes S.B. from London. 6.0—Alex. Fryer's Orchestra. 7.0—Weather Forecast and News. 7.10—Topical Talk. 7.25—Bach interpreted by Jean Baptiste Toner. 7.40—Musical Interlude. 8.0—Italo Meschi: "The Last of the Troubadours," and the London Radio Dance Band. 8.30—"The Pier Revels of 1926." 9.30—Weather Forecast and News. 9.40—Topical Talk. 9.55—Shipping Forecast. 10.5—The London Radio Dance Band. 10.20—Unannounced Programme. 11.0—Nat Lewin's New Verrey's Dance Band, from New Verrey's Restaurant. 12.0—Close down.

BIRMINGHAM (5IT)—479 Metres.

3.45—The Station Pianoforte Quintet. 4.45—Afternoon Topics: Mabel France, "The Lighter Side of Family Holidays." Edith Paddock (soprano). 5.15—For the Children. 6.0—Lozell's Picture House Orchestra. 6.50—Royal Horticultural Society's Bulletin (S.B. from London). 7.0—Weather Forecast and News; Major R. Vernon Brook, M.I.A.E., A.M.I.E.E., "Everyday Engineering Topics—(8) The Construction of a Modern Aeroplane." 7.20—Programme S.B. from London. 9.30—Weather Forecast and News; Topical Talk (S.B. from London); Local News. 10.5—Music and Comedy. Beatrice Eveline (solo violoncello): Sonata (for violoncello and pianoforte) (Hurlstone). Mary Brotherton and Sydney Russell in Act II., Scene 1, from "The School for Scandal"; Act I., Scene 2, from "The Rivals." 11.0—Close down.

BOURNEMOUTH (6BM)—386 Metres.

3.0—From the Winter Gardens. The Municipal Augmented Orchestra; Elizabeth Mellor (soprano); Theodore Guitter (violin). 4.45—An Afternoon Paper. 5.0—Musical Interlude. 5.15—For the Children. 6.0—Song Anthologies. No. 2, "The Sea." The Studio Trio: Reginald Mouat (violin), Thomas E. Illingworth ('cello), Charles Leeson (pianoforte). 6.15—Lulu Bradshaw (contralto). 6.25—The Trio: "Nautical Scenes" (Fletcher). 6.40—Lulu Bradshaw. 6.50—Royal Horticultural Society's Bulletin (S.B. from London). 7.0—Weather Forecast and News; Topical Talk (S.B. from London). 7.25—Programme S.B. from London. 8.0—The Station Orchestra. 8.15—Thomas E. Illingworth ('cello solo). 8.25—The Orchestra. 8.40—Reginald S. Mouat (violin solos). 8.50—The Orchestra. 9.0—Programme S.B. from London. 9.30—Weather Forecast and News; Topical Talk (S.B. from London); Local News. 10.5—The London Radio Dance Band (S.B. from London). 10.20—Unannounced Programme (S.B. from London). 11.0—Close down.

CARDIFF (5WA)—353 Metres.

11.30-1.0—H. C. Burgess and Orchestra, relayed from Madeira Cove, Weston-super-Mare. 3.15—H. C. Burgess and Orchestra. 4.45—Afternoon Topics. 5.0—Pianoforte Recital. 5.15—For the Children. 6.0—"Joseph Conrad—His Teaching" (2), by Capt. Arthur J. Price. 6.15—Alex. Fryer's Orchestra, from the Rialto Theatre. S.B. from London. 6.50—Royal Horticultural Society Talk. S.B. from London. 7.0—Weather Forecast and News. 7.25—Bach interpreted by Jean Baptiste Toner. S.B. from London. 7.40—Musical Interlude. S.B. from London. 8.0—The Station Orchestra; Olive Sturgess (soprano). 9.0—Programme S.B. from London. 9.30—Weather Forecast and News; Topical Talk. S.B. from London. Local News. 10.5—The London Radio Dance Band. S.B. from London. 10.20—Unannounced Programme. S.B. from London. 11.0—Close down.

MANCHESTER (2ZY)—378 Metres.

3.25—School Transmission. 3.45—Sydney Prendergast (baritone). 4.0—The Band of the 8th Bn. the Lancashire Fusiliers, relayed from the West-end Bandstand, Morecambe. 5.0—Miss E. C. Gorman, "Fashion Speaks Out." 5.15—For the Children. 6.0—Programme S.B. from London. 6.50—Royal Horticultural Society's Bulletin. 7.0—Weather Forecast and News; Topical Talk. S.B. from London. 7.25—Programme S.B. from London. 9.30—Weather Forecast and News; Topical Talk. S.B. from London. Local News. 10.5—Australian Bush Songs: A Recital by Harold Williams. 10.30—Organ Recital, relayed from the Piccadilly Picture House; organist, John Armitage. 11.0—Close down.

LIVERPOOL (6LV)—331 Metres.

4.0—Afternoon Topics: Kate Lovell, "Healing Waters." 4.15—The New Graftonians Dance Orchestra, relayed from the Grafton Rooms. 5.15—For the Children. 6.0—Bourlet and Montague's Symphonies, relayed from the Edinburgh Café Ballroom. 6.30—Programme S.B. from London. 6.50—Royal Horticultural Society's Bulletin (S.B. from Manchester). 7.0-11.0—Programme S.B. from London.

GLASGOW (5SC)—422 Metres.

4.0—Jack Bennett's Melody Four. 5.0—Afternoon Topics. 5.15—For the Children. 6.0-6.2—Weather Forecast for Farmers. 6.15—Alex. Fryer's Orchestra, from the Rialto Theatre (S.B. from London). 6.50—The Orchestra, relayed from London. 7.0—Weather Forecast and News; Topical Talk (S.B. from London). 7.25—Bach interpreted by Jean Baptiste Toner (S.B. from London). 7.40—The Rev. Dr. Walter Mursell, B.A., "Summertime Talks—Islanders" (S.B. from Aberdeen). 8.0—Wolfe Wolfinsohn (violin) and Ethel Bartlett (pianoforte). 8.20—Wolfe Wolfinsohn. 8.30—Ethel Bartlett. 8.45—Wolfe Wolfinsohn and Ethel Bartlett (violin and pianoforte). 9.0—Programme S.B. from London. 9.30—Weather Forecast and News; Topical Talk (S.B. from London); Local News. 10.5—The London Radio Dance Band (S.B. from London). 10.20—Unannounced Programme (S.B. from London). 11.0—Close down.

CENTRAL CRIMINAL COURT

RECENT DUBLIN RAIDS RECALLED.

JUDGE AND PRISONER.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE HANNA.)

Christopher Murphy was found guilty of assaulting, while armed, with two other persons unknown, Edmund Levy, with intent to rob him; assembling at Bloomfield avenue to the terror of the subjects of the Irish Free State, and particularly with intent to cause terror to Edmund Levy and the inmates of his dwelling-house at 8 Bloomfield avenue, and carrying a revolver without lawful authority.

In reply to his Lordship, Mr. Carrigan said that this young man was at one time in excellent employment in the city. A number of men went out to destroy the papers and books of certain people, most of whom are Jews. Their grievance was that a money-lenders' bill similar to that introduced in the House of Lords by the common benefactor, Lord Carson, was not passed in Ireland, and they demonstrated their feelings by taking these books and documents.

"FOOLISH VICTIM."

They openly attacked the house of Mr. Leavy, and he was happy to say they were pursued when leaving by a number of citizens. This man (Murphy) was the foolish victim of people who ought to be in the dock instead of him.

His Lordship said that he had to act on the evidence before him. He saw no reason why the Jews should not get the same protection from the law as any other section of the citizens. From what he knew of them they were peaceful and industrious.

When asked if he would enter into recognisances to keep the peace for two years, the accused said that he always endeavoured to be peaceful, truthful and honest. He felt that it was his duty to join the Republican Army. He believed, as his country was yet unfree, the existence of that army was justified, and he was carrying out the orders of his superiors. He believed that it was a good cause and was God's cause, and, as an undertaking to keep the peace would be an indication of surrender, he would not do so.

Mr. Carrigan asked that the prisoner be put back for a couple of days in order that he might reconsider the matter.

PUT BACK.

His Lordship—I will give you a day or two to consider this matter. You have been given a good character, and I will take that into consideration. I would be very sorry to send a respectable, intelligent young man like you to prison.

The accused was put back.

THIEVES SENTENCED.

Sentences of three and six months' imprisonment, with hard labour, were passed on Joseph McDonnell and Frederick Salmon respectively for stealing a suit of clothes, a coat and a vest, the property of Mr. Sullivan, of Messrs. Todd Burns, Dublin.

PRODUCE AND FOOD.

CATTLE.

SALFORD.—On offer, 752 beasts (decrease, 128); sheep and lambs, 7,729 (decrease, 1,387). Irish arrivals showed substantial decline, there being about 60 beasts and 500 less lambs penned. Improved weather conditions, coupled with decreased supplies, responsible for welcome improvement in demand, and clearance was effected; and, while prices ruled firm, there was little quotable change to record on week. Quality of Irish stock generally very satisfactory, and nice light-weight beasts and good quality lambs sold readily. General quotations:—Best butchers' beasts up to 10½d., Irish 9d. to 10d., good fat young cows 8d. to 9d.; choice light sheep 1/1 to 1/2, heavy around 1/-. Welsh lambs 1/3 to 1/4, Irish lambs around 1/2 per lb. Cows suitable for dairy purposes numbered 85, and, with better trade passing, prices were occasionally dearer as compared with last week's, at £28 to £30 per head.

CAMBRIDGE.—Beasts 199—beef 11/- to 12/-. Sheep 997—mutton to 1/4; lamb 1/2 to 1/3. Pigs 729—pork to 15/-; calves 75. Good average supplies of fat cattle offered and business proved steady at late rates. Store beasts—Not many to hand. Fat sheep and lambs a good show and trade unchanged. Store sheep—A special sale resulted in excellent supplies and good trade. Fat pigs—A few more to hand and prices ruled lower. Store pigs were in moderate demand.

LEEDS.—Supplies of cattle and sheep larger than last week, and quality fairly good, with no change in prices; trade slow but firm. Cattle on offer 381, at from 8d. to 10½d. per lb. Sheep on offer 2,400, from 7d. to 1/2 per lb.

GRAIN.

DUBLIN CORN EXCHANGE.—Nearness of harvest has caused almost a suspension of grain inquiry. In South of England districts harvesting operations are already in swing. Black oats nominally 15/6 to 16/6 and 17/-, whites 17/3 to 18/6 and 19/- per barrel.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES.—BALTIC.—WHEAT—Cargo market dull, owing to lack of inquiry on Continental account, but sellers were not pressing, and values were fairly steady. The Sierra Morena, 5,525 tons, South Australian, 18th June bill of lading, sold 58/6; No. 1 Northern Manitoba 15th July-15th August sellers 61/6, No. 2 ditto 60/-, No. 2 hard winter July 55/3, August, also September, 54/-; white Pacific August-September 54/6; Barusso (61lbs.) loading 57/-, choice white Karachi July 58/-. Parcels quiet and the turn easier for North American grades. No. 1 Northern Manitoba July sold 60/-, No. 2 hard winter ditto 54/-, August 53/6, Barusso (61lbs.) afloat sellers 56/9, Baril ditto 56/6, choice white Karachi August sold 57/-, Australian arrived 58/4½, due 58/6 per 480lbs. MAIZE quiet and forward positions easier inclined, but near cargoes steady, in view of higher Argentine freight rates. The Ysseldijk, 5,500 tons Plate, July clearance, sold 32/-; Plate steamers afloat sellers 32/4½, loading 32/-, August-September, also September-October, 31/4½. Parcels in moderate demand and easier. Plate June-July sold 31/6, July-August 30/9 to 31/-, August-September 30/3 per 480lbs. The Ryde, 5,605 tons, 13th July clearance, sold 32/3 to Liverpool. BARLEY quietly steady; cargoes of South Russian July-August sellers 28/6, parcels of ditto afloat 28/6, July-August 28/6, No. 3 Canadian Western July-August 28/10½, Plate afloat 27/6 per 480lbs. OATS quiet; Plate loading sellers 21/6, July-August 21/6, No. 2 Canadian Western July-August 26/-, American white clipped June-July 23/3, August 22/3, Chilian loading 21/6 per 320lbs.

LIVERPOOL.—WHEAT—American cables were disappointing, and with easier Argentine forward deliveries of wheat here in distant positions gave way to a liberal extent during early trading. Then a good recovery took place on scarcity of sellers, but prices again receded, and with weak afternoon cables finished at the worst point, and marked a decided loss on the day, July showing a fair decline after being the turn dearer. C.i.f. parcels No. 2 Manitoba tough afloat sold at 57/6 to Manchester, No. 3 Manitoba shipping 57/3 to Liverpool, and Baril 61lbs. loading quoted 55/9 per qr. C.i.f. parcels MAIZE in good demand, River Plate afloat selling at 32/3 to 33/10½, as to position, landing 31/6, May-June 32/9 to 33/-, August-September 30/3 per qr. Wheat on the spot firm and dearer. Maize spot parcels scarce and dearer, with River Plate quoted 7/6 to 7/7 per cental. FLOUR firm, and in better request. Graded wheat futures opened ½d. to ¾d. per cental lower for distant months, then recovered fairly, but later again gave way, and closed 1½d. lower on the day, July being ¾d. under Monday night.

PROVISIONS.

LIVERPOOL.—Irish and Danish BACON steadily held at late rates, but in only moderate request, and Canadian firm at 1/- to 2/- advance, now quoted 109/- to 114/- per cwt. The market for American bacon continues quiet here, with buyers indifferent, and prices of some cuts still tend downwards, light Cumberlands being further reduced to 115/- to 118/- and heavier weights 114/- to 118/- per cwt. HAMS firm, and short cut meet a fair demand at fully late rates. Shoulders quiet for squares and picnics still nominal. LARD on the spot rules quietly steady for prime steam at late rates, but American refined 3d. lower at 81/- to 82/6 per cwt., with little business reported. CHEESE dull of sale, and Canadian reduced partially 1/- to 86/- to 88/- per cwt. BUTTER quiet, but no quotable change in value of any make. EGGS quietly steady at 11/9 to 13/6 for Irish hen, 9/6 to 9/9 duck, and 8/6 to 8/9 per 120 Polish.

MANCHESTER.—BUTTER—Shipments of Danish and Swedish for week ended July 17th totalled 28,637 casks, or 1,484 casks less. Market rules firm on smaller arrivals, and for all descriptions of Scandinavian sellers hold out for full rates. Supplies of Irish creameries well up to average, and best grades remain steady. Choicest qualities quoted—Danish 176/- to 178/-, Finnish 168/- to 170/-, Swedish 166/- to 168/-, Irish creameries 162/- to 164/-. BACON—Shipments of Danish and Swedish totalled 11,514 bales (increase, 493 bales). Little change in Irish and quiet consumptive demand reported for Danish; other cures slow. General quotations:—Irish 124/- to 132/-, according to average weight; North of Ireland rolls 146/- to 150/-, according to weight and cure; Danish 126/- to 132/-, Swedish 112/- to 120/-, Dutch 104/- to 112/-, Canadian 106/- to 112/-. LARD lower; English refined 85/6, boxes, wholesale; American 81/- to 81/6, according to brand. CHEESE—Hot weather continues to affect business, and demand for home produce confined to good cool makes. Choicest Cheshire quoted around 9d., Lancashire 10d. to 11d. Colonial lower; New Zealand white 89/- to 90/-, coloured 85/- to 86/-, Canadian 86/- to 88/-. EGGS—Shipments of Danish and Swedish, 3,747 cases. Market steady. Irish extra selected 13/-, selected 12/6, mediums and trades 9/6. Ducks nominal: Danish, 17½lb. 15/6, 15½lb. 13/-, 14lb. 11/6, 13lb. 10/6; Dutch 12/6 to 13/-, Belgium 12/-, Polish 8/9.

DUBLIN FRUIT AND VEGETABLE.—Supplies of imported apples, oranges, cherries, etc., are plentiful enough to cover the slow and moderate trade. Friday's quotations generally govern sales for imported fruit, only changes being sunkist oranges at 30/- to 34/- and French plums 16/- per half-bushel. Sound cherries 24/- to 32/- ditto; others irregular. Dutch tomatoes 4½d. to 6d. and English 8d. to 9d. per lb. Irish peaches 3/- to 12/- per dozen. Cherries 1/5 per punnet. Raspberries 11d. to 1/4 per lb. Loganberries 4d. to 5d. per punnet and 10d. to 1/- per lb. Irish melons 3/6 to 7/- each. Strawberries (Northern) 6d. to 1/3 per punnet. Irish apples 3/- to 4/- per tray. Vegetables in good supply; in fact, cauliflowers are a glut and difficult to clear. Sales averaged—Rhubarb 2/- to 3/9 per dozen; gooseberries 3/- to 5/- per strike, red 5/6 to 6/6 per float; red currants 7d. to 8d. per lb. Cauliflowers 1/3 to 1/9, 2/6 and 3/6 per dozen. York cabbage 15/- to 25/- and 35/- per load; bags York 3/-. Lettuce 4d. to 8d. per dozen. Cucumbers 3/6, 5/6, 6/- and 7/-. Irish tomatoes 7d. to 10d. per lb. Peas 2/- per float, 5/- to 12/- per bag, 16/- to 22/6 per sack. Beet 1/6 to 2/- per dozen and 4/- per bag. Parsley 4d. to 6d. per tray. Marrows 1/- to 1/5 each. Scallions 8d. to 1/- per bundle. Onions 10d. to 1/2. White turnips 2d. to 9d. per bundle. Other commodities average prices.

DUBLIN POTATO.—Potatoes continue to be marketed very freely, and much in excess of the consumptive demand, which is poor. Prices are quoted nominally round 5/- to 6/- per cwt., according to character and handling of tubers.

DUBLIN POULTRY.—Good seasonable supplies of live and dead poultry continue to arrive, and with rather improved weather dead goods are less heated, and altogether the trade shows a steadier trend. Prime heavy chickens 1/3 to 1/5 and 1/6 per lb., small sizes 1/6 to 2/- each; fat hens 2/- to 2/6, others 1/3 and 1/6 each; fat ducks 3/- to 4/- and 4/6 each, storish sorts 2/- to 2/6, old ducks 10d. to 1/-, rabbits (prime fresh) 1/6 to 1/10 each, graziers 5/- to 12/- per dozen.

DUBLIN EGG AND BUTTER.—Trade for butter still follows a slow and cautious routine. Supplies of creams are ample, and many dairies are sending produce forward in better order, but there is still a quantity made during the recent heat wave, which has to be reckoned with. Weather more favourable. Fine creams 1/5¼ to 1/5½, pyramids 1/5½, medium quality 1/4¾ to 1/5; some indifferent grades less. Factories slow at 1/3 to 1/3½ and 1/3¾ per lb. Farmers' butter rather more in evidence, but owing to soft and milky condition is not an attractive sale at irregular prices, say, 11d. to 1/2 per lb.; separators 1/3 to 1/3½, extra, perhaps, 1/4 per lb. Best fresh arrivals of eggs make a readier and dearer market, but many country consignors are not altogether immune from dishonesty in mixing produce with stale and otherwise unsaleable eggs. Choice extra selected hen eggs 14/9 to 15/3, selected and ordinary case arrivals 12/- to 14/-, small, etc., 10/- to 11/3; selected, repacked duck eggs 11/- to 12/6 per 120.

CORK BUTTER.—Diminished enquiry, quieter tone. Creameries 153/- to 156/- per cwt., choicest salted 158/- upwards.

DUBLIN FISH.—Very small country arrival of fish. Supplies principally embraced 30 packages of salmon, 20 chests of lobsters, 163 boxes of mixed stuff, but mostly cod, from steam trawl; also forward 80 boxes of herrings and 30 of mackerel. Due to cooler change in the weather fish generally in better order. Trade good. Salmon 1/6 to 2/- and 2/2 per lb., grilse 1/3 to 1/6 per lb., first pick lobsters 10/-, 12/6 to 15/- per 13, seconds 5/- to 7/6, small and dead 2/- to 4/- per lot; turbot 1/6 to 8/- and 10/- each brill 1/- to 5/- each, best soles 30/- to 44/- per 8 and 9 pairs, mediums 20/- to 27/6, slips 7/6 to 12/- per lot; half boxes plaice 40/- to 95/-, codfish 35/- to 65/-, hake 30/- to 80/-, haddocks 35/- to 45/-, whiting 15/- to 40/- and 50/-, conger eels 15/- to 30/-, pollock 18/- to 30/-, ling 14/- to 35/-, ray 16/- to 25/-, herrings 17/6 and 20/-, mackerel 8/- to 15/- and 16/-.

BILLINGSGATE FISH.—Fair supplies; fair demand. Salmon 1/7 to 2/6 and soles 1/8 to 2/4 per lb. Live eels 10/- to 25/- and dead 10/- to 20/- per draught. Turbot 8/- to 12/-, brill 11/- to 13/-, plaice 6/- to 10/-, halibut 12/- to 15/-, lemon soles 6/- to 12/-, witches 6/- to 10/-, cod 4/- to 7/-, whiting 2/- to 5/-, hake 5/- to 8/-, skate 3/- to 5/-, and haddocks 3/- to 6/- per stone.

MANCHESTER DEAD MEAT—Home-killed beef, best 9½d., others 8d. to 9d.; mutton, best 11½d.; lambs 1/- to 1/2, ewes 8d. Chilled beef, hindquarters 5½d. to 6½d., forequarters 2½d. to 3½d.; frozen beef, hindquarters 4d. to 5½d., forequarters 3d. to 3½d. Mutton—Wethers 4½d. to 5½d., ewes 3½d. to 4½d., and lambs 7½d. to 10½d.

LONDON POTATO.—Liberal supplies; slow trade, with easier prices, many samples showing signs of blight. English Sharpe's Express 5/- to 5/6, Midlothian 5/- to 5/6, and Epicures 4/- to 4/6 per cwt. Green peas 3/6 to 4/- per bag of 40lbs.

PRODUCE.

LONDON.—SUGAR—Moderate spot business, and prices remained unaltered. Cuban stocks stand at 1,261,400 tons, against 1,037,600 tons last year. White terminal steadier; August sold 13/11½, December 14/9, March 15/3, May 15/6. COFFEE—Spot market steady; futures firm, and May sold 88/-. TEA—The quantity of Ceylon brought to auction amounted to 28,000 packages; fair competition was experienced, but prices mostly ½d. to ½d. per lb. down for the lower qualities, good teas being steady, and apparently wanted, as general run of quality proved only moderate. Pekoe sold 1/2¾ to 1/8, broken do. 1/3½ to 1/6½, orange 1/5¼ to 1/9, broken do. 1/5¼ to 1/9¼ per lb. in bond. RICE—Market very idle at the moment; two stars to arrive 15/- c.f.i. London. SPICE—Pepper steady, but quiet; Muntok L.S. August-October sold 1/2½. Lampong f.a.q. August-October buyers 8d. JUTE pressed for sale, and again lower. Firsts August sold £33 to £32 10/ and £32 12/6, September quoted £30 10/- to £30 5/-, October sold £29 10/-. HEMP—Manila steady, unaltered. SHELLAC—Market quiet; T.N. December sold 123/- per cwt. COPRA steady; Straits August-September to Rotterdam £29 12/6. PALM KERNELS July-August Liverpool £20 8/9.

RUBBER—Market slow; standard Plantation sheet spot and July sold 1/8½ to 1/8¾, August 1/8¾, September 1/8¾, October-December 1/9¼, January-March 1/9½. OILS—Linseed quiet and easier; spot quoted 35/6, July 34/4½, August 34/6, September-December sold 34/7½, January-April 35/3. Rape inactive; crude spot 49/-, refined 51/-. Japanese crude July-August barrels 46/-, refined 49/-. Cotton firm; crude Egyptian spot 40/6, Bombay 39/-, common edible 46/-. Coconut quiet; Ceylon spot pipes 47/6, July-August 46/-. Wood oil steady; Hankow spot barrels nominally 69/-, July-August quoted 65/6. Turpentine quieter; American spot 61/9 paid, July-December sellers 62/6 per cwt. Petroleum steady. Rosin firm, with scanty spot offerings. OILSEEDS—Linseed quieter, and trend of prices in buyers' favour, with sellers of Plate descriptions more in evidence. Calcutta to London July-August, also August-September, sellers £18 17/6; Plate July-August to Hull sellers £16 18/9, August-September £16 18/9, September-October sold £17. Rapeseed slow; Toria to Continent July-August sellers £21 10/-, yellow Cawnpore June-July £22 2/6, do. Guzerat £22 5/-. Cottonseed maintained; Egyptian black to Hull quoted £10 5/-, new October-November £10 15/-, white August £9 12/6, November-January £10 2/6; Bombay July-August nominally £8 2/6. Groundnuts slow; Coromandel machined July-August quoted £22 6/3, August-September £22 12/6, new crop November-December £21 15/-; Chinese f.a.q. July-August £21 15/, August-September £22 per ton.

LIVERPOOL AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE.—A plentiful supply of farm produce was on offer at to-day's market. Potatoes—Epicures 3/-, Queen's Cheshire 6/-, St. Malo 5/- per cwt.; Wallasy new 2/6 per 20lbs. Swedish turnips 9/- per cwt., turnips 2/- per dozen bunches, carrots (washed) 15/- per cwt., and 2/- per dozen bunches; cauliflowers 3/- to 5/-, cabbages 2/3 to 2/9, cucumbers 3/6 to 5/-, long lettuce 1/-, round lettuce 7d. to 9d. per dozen; parsley 1/6, mint 8d., spring onions 6d., radishes 1/- per dozen bunches, leeks 2/- per bundle, garden peas 5/- per hamper, kidney beans 9d. per lb., vegetable marrows 6/- per dozen. Oat straw 3/-, hay 5/1½ to 5/3 per cwt.

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LIVERPOOL WHITE SUGAR TERMINAL.—Morning and Afternoon—July 13/10½ value, 13/9¾ value; August 13/10½ buyers, 13/11¼ value; Sept. 14/- buyers, 14/1¼ value; Dec. 14/9¾ sellers, 14/9¾ value; March 15/3¾ value, 15/3 value; May 15/7½ sellers, 15/6¾ value. Market quietly steady. Tates' and Lyles' quotations—Crystals No. 1 31/3, small No. 1 30/9, No. 2 29/6, bright 29/4½; granulated—Standard 29/3, H.T.S. 29/4½, coarse 29/7½, fine 29/7½ (ex refinery Liverpool, less 1½ p.c. discount). Cubes (ex refinery London, less 1½ p.c. discount)—1st quality 33/3, H.T.S. 33/-, afternoon tea 33/6.

CLYDE SUGAR.—The market is very firm on the improved American advices. Quotations for foreign sugars are dearer, and Greenock refiners are asking 3d. advance.

MISCELLANEOUS.

LIVERPOOL COTTON.—American futures declined during the morning on local liquidations and Continental selling owing to the fall in the franc, but market improved in the afternoon on better New York cables, and tendency at the close was steady. Spot sales 4,000 bales. Sales for export included in above 1,001 bales. American futures—Tendency steady. July 9.44d., August 9.29d., Sept. 9.18d., Oct. 9.10d., Nov. 9.01d., Dec. 9.02d., Jan. 9.01d., Feb. 9.01d., March 9.07d., April 9.07d., May 9.10d., June 9.07d., July 9.07d. Egyptian futures (basis F.G.F Sakels.)—Tendency quiet. July 14.93d., Oct. 14.82d., Nov. 14.53d., Jan. 14.36d., March 14.28d.

MANCHESTER TRADE.—Market remains apathetic; little more than retail business. Cloth inquiry moderate; occasional sales India; white and grey shirtings wanted for China. Other Far East markets quiet. Few low prints booked for Morocco and West Africa; stock lots sold for Egypt and Levant. Home trade buying little. Yarns slow; spinners of American not selling output. Quotations nominally unchanged.

DUBLIN HAY AND STRAW.—Hay market of fair dimensions, mostly this year's crop, in damp condition. Prices in the circumstances difficult to maintain on a settled basis. Old quality first crop, long loads 5/- to 5/6, shed loaded, Co. Dublin, 3/9 to 6/-, new strong hay 3/- to 3/6, and occasional extra loads 3/9 and 4/- per cwt.; soft and damp sorts 2/- to 2/6 per cwt. Oaten straw in fair compass and dear, viz., 5/6 to 6/- per cwt., baled 4/6 to 5/-. Only one load of wheaten straw in evidence; price did not transpire.

LONDON HAY AND STRAW.—Slow trade; fair supplies. Best meadow hay £5 5/- to £5 10/-, medium £4 5/- to £4 15/-, inferior £3 to £3 10/-, best mixture and sainfoin £5 7/6 to £5 17/6, and best clover £5 15/- to £6 5/-; best trussed wheat straw 80/- to 95/-, and barley and oat ditto 85/- to 95/-, all per ton delivered.

LONDON METALS MARKET.

TIN RISING.

TIN further advanced on stimulating Eastern advices, combined with reserved sellers, with a fair business in force. On balance cash advanced 50/-, and forward 35/- per ton compared with the closing rates of Monday. Standard cash quoted £285 to £285 5/-, three months £282 15/- to £283, settlement price £285. 750 tons changed hands; cash at £284 to £285, three months £282 10/- to £281 15/-, £283 and £282 15/-; English ingots quoted £238 10/- to £284. COPPER steady, while in brisk demand. Standard cash quoted £57 17/6 to £58, three months £58 12/6 to £58 15/-, settlement price £58. 2,300 tons sold, comprising cash at £57 10/- to £58, three months £58 10/- to £58 7/6 and £58 15/-; Electros quoted £65 10/- to £66, B.S. £65 15/- to £65, S.S. £90, wire bars £66. LEAD firmer, and a good business transpired. 1,250 tons sold; good soft foreign pig, July at £32 7/6 to £32 8/9, August £32 5/- to £32 6/3, September £32 2/6 to £32 3/9, October £32 2/6 to £32 and £32 1/3, settlement price £32 7/6; English quoted £33 15/-. SPELTER steadier, and 1,100 tons changed hands; July sold £34, August £34 5/- to £34 6/3, October £34 7/6 to £34 6/3, and finally £34 8/9; settlement price £34 per ton. TIN PLATES, also QUICKSILVER, unaltered.

LONDON WOOL SALES.

Two catalogues were offered at public sales jointly totalling 12,818 bales, comprising 5,741 New South Wales and Queensland, 1,280 Victorian, 1,217 South Australian, 1,004 West Australian, 452 Tasmanian, 2,908 New Zealand, 184 Cape. Fairly good competition prevailed for merinos, though here and there buyers were not disposed to concede the high limits asked, which resulted in occasional withdrawals. Of the Continental section, German bidding continues prominent, but French purchases lighter owing to the exchange position. Suitable cross-breds were supported by the home trade at a steady range of prices, but inferior sorts disclosed slight irregularity.

FROM THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Wednesday, July 21.

CUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS UACHTARACH (The Supreme Court of Justice).—For Hearing. Appeals—Green v. Revenue Commissioners, part heard; Morris v. Crowder.

AN PRIMH-BHREITHEAMH (Chief Justice).—Chief Justice's Chambers. Before the Chief Clerk, at 11.30 o'clock—Governey, minors; Blayney, minors. Before Dr. Webb, at 11.30 o'clock—Cunningham, minors.

AN ARD-CHUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS (The High Court of Justice).—In Court 1. Thursday, 22nd July. Action—Solomon v. O'Neill.

IN COURT 2.—At Chambers—Roulston v. Wallace; Moloney v. Nenagh U.D.C.; Charles v. Malley. Thursday, 22nd July. Action—Finlay v. M'Kenna.

IN COURT 3.—At 10.45 o'clock. Exparte Motions. Circuit Appeals. At 11 o'clock. Northern Circuit—Golden v. Bredin, at hearing; M'Gushin v. Faughnan; M'Govern v. Magee; M'Carron v. Doherty; Molloy v. Slainte Insurance Co.; Hanlon v. Daly; Nicholl v. Leitrim Co. Council; Hagan v. Travers. The following Circuit Appeals in which notices of withdrawal have been served will be listed on Friday next, 23rd inst. Cork Circuit—Curtis and Harvey v. Minister for Finance; Milford Creamery v. same; Webber v. same; Good v. same; Fleming v. same; Murphy v. Irish American Oil Co.; Bullen and another v. London Guarantee Co. Southern Circuit—Bourke v. Kiely; Bayly v. Tipperary Co. Council. South-Western Circuit—Bentley v. Minister for Finance; Going v. Collins; Brohan v. Minister for Finance; Irish Creameries v. Kerry Co. Co.; Gore v. Kildrino Co-op. Society. Eastern Circuit—Boyne v. Morgan; Finnegan and another v. Hunter. Western Circuit—Coolican v. Kelly. Dublin Circuit—Farrelly v. O'Neill; O'Neill v. Farrelly.

ADMIRALTY.—In Court No. 1, at 11 o'clock. Exparte Motions. Reference—The ss. Cairngorm, W. F. Robertson and John M'K. Robertson v. The Grand Canal Co. For Thursday, 22nd July. Motion on Notice—The ss. Mary, plaintiffs, Eustace and Co., Ltd., defendants.

DAIL EIREANN COURTS (WINDING-UP) ACTS, 1923-1925. Monday, 26th July. Specially Fixed—Carden Estate, Egan and others v. Ormonde and others.

CHAMBERS No. 1 (Room 38)—Corrigan v. Jones; M. and L. Bank, Ltd., v. Fitzgibbon; Co's. Acts and Irish Bookshop, Ltd.; The National Bank, Ltd., v. Nugent; O'Sullivan v. Lyons; Quinlan v. Murphy; Royal Bank, Ltd., v. Kernan; Cagney v. Browne.

CHAMBERS No. 2 (Room 39), at 11 o'clock—Robinson v. Dumville; National Bank, Ltd., v. Burke; M. and L. Bank, Ltd., v. Hansard; Northern Banking Co., Ltd., v. Keely; Ulster Bank, Ltd., v. Chambers; Pim Bros., Ltd., v. Saunders; J. Nolan, decd., Malone v. Nolan; M. A. Bonnar, decd., Bonnar v. Bonnar; Abbeyview Co-op. Agricultural Society; Kennedy v. Grace; H. Nugent, decd., Nugent v. Nugent; M. and L. Bank, Ltd., v. Kemp; Bourke v. Dwyer; National Bank, Ltd., v. Creedon; P. Keane, decd., Crowe, Wilson and Co., Ltd., v. Keane; P. Murray, decd., Greally v. Dolan; W. Hurley, decd., Hurley v. Hayes; H. Howard, decd., Howard v. Howard. Before the Assistant Chief Clerk (Room 59), at 11 o'clock—H. Howard, decd., Howard v. Howard; City of Dublin Steam Packet Co.; Dublin and Lucan Electric Railway Company.

CONSOLIDATED TAXING OFFICE.—Master Kilbride, at 11—Cummins v. Crean, J. A. Kennedy; Murray v. Hayes, Cochrane and Co.; Fahy v. Nolan, A. T. Comyn; O'Connor v. Hurley, J. Moran; Ryan v. Ryan, H. B. O'Hanlon; Patrick Kiernan, a bankrupt, G. Tench; Slattery v. Moloney, P. S. Connolly and Co.; Winters, decd., F. G. M'Keever. Master Denning, at 11—O'Reilly, a minor (G.S.), Miley and Miley; O'Reilly, a minor (G.S.), Miley and Miley. Master Macnamara, at 11.—Exparte Taxations—Hughes v. Wallace, T. J. Kelly; Warder v. Moritz, J. A. Shaw; Murphy v. Taylor, P. T. Liston and Co.; Murphy v. Taylor, R. Fox; Dublin Corporation and Fairbrothers' Fields, Hayes and Son; Dublin Corporation and Fairbrothers' Fields, B. R. W. Doran; M'Gillycuddy's Estate, W. Fry and Son.

BANKRUPTCY.—Before the Chief Registrar, at 11—Cumming, vch. ac., Porter, Morris and Co.; Bell, do., Hoey and Denning; O'Neill, do., Hayes and Sons; Galbraith, do., W. V. Seddall; arrangt., ac. comp., Collins and Son; Sheehan, vch. ac., W. V. Seddall; do., costs, Thompson and Edwards; Quinn, vch. ac., T. J. Graham; Jennings, do., Henry and Son; Colhoun, do., Henry and Son; Tarrant, do., Scallan and Co.; arrangt., pr. dts., Collins and Son; do., do., M. J. O'Farrell; M'Donnell, ac. comp., Little and Cullen; arrangt., do., Fullerton and Doyle; do., pr. dts., Collins and Son; Dunne, vch. ac., W. V. Seddall; Martin, do., Smyth and Son; Gavahan, do., Collins and Son; Kieran, do., F. J. Allen; arrangt., inquiry, S. G. Rutherford.

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.—At Examiners' Chambers.—Before Mr. Longfield, at 11—E. F. M. Boyle (S. 7), discharge rulings.

BEFORE MR. JUSTICE HANNA.—At the Courthouse, Green street, at 10—Central Criminal Court. Criminal Cases (continued). Full attendance of jurors requested.

AN CHUIRT BHREITHIUNAIS CHUARDA (Circuit Court of Justice).—Before the Assistant Circuit Judge.—At Dublin Castle, at 11—Civil Actions—Gallen v. Mullally; Mullally v. Gallen. Ejectments—Green v. Colbert; Merrick v. Sankey; Standing v. Andrews; Prescott v. Harte; Condron v. Wynne; Kilmurray v. Moran; Toomey v. O'Neill; Judd v. Cochrane. Before the Assistant Circuit Judge.—For Thursday, 22nd July.—At Dublin Castle, at 11.—Civil Action—Connolly v. M'Sherry. Ejectments—O'Loughlin v. Coe; Ferguson v. Ramsey; Moore v. O'Donnell; Cogan, Ltd., v. O'Brien; Meagher v. Pierce; Lawlor v. Gilligan; M'Closkey v. Halloran; O'Rourke v. Masterson; Richardson v. Looney (application to re-enter).

The first, and perhaps decisive, phase of the next war will be in the air.—Lord Thomson.

LEGAL NOTICES.

CHARITABLE DONATIONS AND BEQUESTS ACT (IRELAND), 1867.

Notice is hereby given that the Will, dated the 3rd day of April, 1923, as varied by two Codicils thereto, dated the 24th day of March, 1924, and the 16th day of September, 1925, of Percy FitzGerald, late of 37 St. George's road, Pimlico, London, S.W.1, formerly of Fane Valley, near Dundalk, County Louth, Esquire, who died on the 24th day of November, 1925, and whose said Will and Codicils were proved in the Principal Probate Registry at Dublin on the 3rd day of May, 1926, by Arthur Guy Ellis and Frank Edgar Young, the Executors therein named, contains the following Charitable Bequests:—

1. To the said Arthur Guy Ellis a legacy of £500 for such charitable purposes as he may think fit.
2. To the Catholic Truth Society of Ireland a legacy of £3,000.
3. To the Catholic University of Ireland a legacy of £1,000.
4. To Francis Cardinal Bourne or other the Archbishop of the Archdiocese of Westminster, the Right Reverend Dudley Charles Cary-Elwes, Bishop of the Diocese of Northampton; the Right Reverend William Francis Brown, Vicar-General of the Diocese of Southwark, and the said Arthur Guy Ellis, the Testator's Residuary Real and Personal Estate upon trust for division among such lawful Roman Catholic Charities as they may select.

Dated this 16th day of July, 1926.
By Order of the Executors,
ELLIS and WILLES and INGPEN and ARMITAGE, 4 Raymond Buildings, Gray's Inn, London, W.C.1, Solicitors for the said Executors.

SAORSTAT EIREANN.
ADVERTISEMENT FOR INCUMBRANCERS.
Pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice, made in a Cause,
THE NORTHERN BANKING CO., LTD., v. JOHN TURLEY, Record No. 1925—15025.

All persons claiming to be incumbrancers affecting the Lands entered on Folio 3109, Register of Freeholders, County Kildare—that is to say, part of the Lands of Ardlass Lower containing 139 acres and 6 perches, Statute measure, or thereabouts, situate in the Barony of Salt North and County of Kildare; another part of the said Lands of Ardlass Lower, containing 2 roods and 18 perches, Statute measure, or thereabouts, situate in the Barony and County aforesaid—are by their Solicitors, to enter and prove their claims at Chambers No. 1, the Law Courts, Dublin, on or before the 26th day of July, 1926, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order.

Every claimant on the said Lands holding any security is to produce the same at the said Chambers on the 28th day of July, 1926, at 11 of the clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.

Dated this 8th day of July, 1926.
THOS. W. ELLERKER, Chief Clerk.
PEEBLES, KNOX & PIGOT, Solicitors, 21 Kildare street, Dublin.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
Re
JOHN COOTE, late of Ashley Cottage, Santry, in the County of Dublin, Royal Irish Constabulary Pensioner, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all persons claiming to be creditors or otherwise having any claim or demand against the estate of the above-named Deceased, who died on the 25th March, 1926, are hereby required, on or before the 7th day of August, 1926, to furnish particulars (in writing) of such claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitor for the Executor, to whom probate was, on the 2nd day of July, 1926, granted forth of the Principal Registry of the High Court of Justice, Saorstat Eireann.

Notice is hereby further given that after the said 7th day of August, 1926, the Executor will proceed to administer the estate of said Deceased having regard only to the claims and demands of which particulars shall have been furnished as above required.

Dated this 6th day of July, 1926.
JOSEPH GLEESON, Solicitor for the said Executor, 3 Palace street, Dublin.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
EDWARD BRADFORD, late of No. 2 Greenville, Sorrento road, Dalkey, County Dublin, retired Stationmaster, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Victoria, Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be Creditors or in any wise to have any claims or demands against the assets of the Deceased, who died on the 29th day of May, 1926, are hereby required to furnish (in writing) the particulars of such claims to the undersigned Solicitor for the Executor, to whom Probate of Deceased's Will was granted on the 19th day of July, 1926, forth of the Principal Registry of the High Court of Justice, Saorstat Eireann, on or before the 23rd day of August, 1926, after which date the Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which he has had notice.

Dated this 20th day of July, 1926.
MICHAEL J. BOWERS, Solicitor, 24 Dame street, Dublin.

Notice of Sitting for Proof of Debts.—21.
SAORSTAT EIREANN.
HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.
In the Matter of
MICHAEL J. BOWLER, trading as Bowler, Heskins and O'Donoghue, of Patrick street, Fermoy, in the County of Cork, Grocer, a Bankrupt.

A Public Sitting in this Matter will be held before the Chief Registrar, at the Bankruptcy Buildings, The Castle, Dublin, on Friday, the 30th day of July, 1926, at the hour of Eleven o'clock, forenoon, for the proof and admission of debts and for the vouching of the Official Assignee's account.

A Creditor may prove his Debt at the Sitting, or send his Affidavit of Debt in the prescribed form or his detailed account to the under-named Official Assignee, four days previously to the sitting, in order to have the same admitted.

Dated this 19th day of July, 1926.
W. F. COOPER, Senior Assistant.
A. G. HOLLINSHEAD, Official Assignee, The Castle, Dublin.
J. L. SCALLAN and CO., Solicitors for the Assignees, 25 Suffolk street, Dublin.

THE COMPANIES ACTS, 1908 to 1917.
In the Matter of the
PHOENIX FILM COMPANY, LIMITED. (In Voluntary Liquidation).

Pursuant to Section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, notice is hereby given that a Meeting of the creditors of the above-named Company will be held at the Offices of Messrs. Peterson, Morrison and Co., 1 Foster place, Dublin, at 11.30 a.m. on Wednesday, the 4th day of August, 1926.

Notice is also hereby given that the creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 31st day of August, 1926, to send in their names and addresses and particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any), to T. J. Morrison, C.A., of 1 Foster place, Dublin, the Liquidator of the Company; and if so required by notice, in writing, from the said Liquidator, are, by their Solicitors or personally, to come in and prove their debts or claims, at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or, in default thereof, they will be excluded from the benefit of any such distribution made before such debts are proved.

Dated this 20th day of July, 1926.
(Signed) T. J. MORRISON, Liquidator, 1 Foster place, Dublin.
HORAN and DEVINE, Solicitors, 12 Dame street, Dublin.

SOUR STOMACH IS DANGEROUS.

Get Rid of the Acid Before it Does You Harm.

Don't let indigestion sap your vitality and shorten your life. Get rid of the dangerous acid and food fermentation that is irritating your stomach, forming gas and causing pain—conditions which only get worse if neglected, and which may eventually cause ulcers. No matter how severe or chronic your trouble may be, you can instantly remove the cause by taking 'Bisurated' Magnesia. This not only neutralises the excess stomach acid and stops fermentation—it also soothes and heals the stomach lining. Pain at once disappears, and healthful digestion follows naturally. 'Bisurated' Magnesia, which is absolutely safe and harmless, is used by thousands, recommended by physicians, and is obtainable of all chemists in both tablet and powder form. Get a package to-day, use as directed, and get rid of your digestive troubles before they cause you serious harm.

FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES.

TONE AND COMMENT.

DUBLIN WEAK.

IMPERIAL TOBACCOS FLAT.

There were further realisations forced at the earlier market on an unwilling Industrial section again on 'Change yesterday, in anticipation of trouble at the coming settlement as a result of the recent big decline in certain favourites; but, should the expected difficulty not be formidable or realised at all, the effect might readily be reflected before the week is out among those shares that have suffered most in the recent "shake out." There was little or no change in British or local Funds or Corporation Stocks. Banks were quiet and occasionally dull. Guinness Ord. remain on sale in a quiet, dull market. Marconi Shares were on sale at a sharp loss on renewed report rumours.

Rails were offered and practically all quoted gave way. Tram issues were quiet. Parent Trust Pref. were bid for at an advance, but the Ord. and Deferred were sellers, and gave way slightly. Dunlop Rubber Ord. were again under sale pressure, and further relapsed on continued profit-taking from the other side.

Courtaulds supplied the feature again yesterday. The price, following the overnight relapse in London, opened 3s. lower at 110s. 6d., when active buying took place at 111s., 111s. 3d., 112s. Tobaccos were irregular. Imperials fell further, especially towards the close, when forced selling was reported from the other side on the absence of a bonus, but British-Americans were active and higher. Coats eased, but Cottons and Bleachers had an improving trend. Lever Bros. Pref. issues also tended to recover from recent dulness.

LONDON QUIET.

INDUSTRIAL SECTION LOWER.

A dull tendency continued to characterise dealings in the London Stock markets yesterday, while the volume of business transacted remained on a small scale. Gilt-edged securities, however, maintained a firm appearance, and closing values showed little alteration from the previous day's levels. In the Foreign Government Stock market the principal feature was the further decline in French issues, both the 5 per cent. and 4 per cent. falling back further. Italian Rentes also moved lower, as did Peruvian Prefs. and Turkish Unified. Here and there, however, a slightly firmer tendency became manifest. A distinctly quieter tone prevailed in Home Rails, but an easier tendency set in again later, and values where changed showed further declines. Little of interest occurred in Colonial and Foreign Rails, but where alteration was registered slightly lower levels were marked. Rubbers were generally dull, the commodity easing slightly from its previous higher value. Selling mainly on Paris account was encountered in Oils, and values were consequently lower in several directions. The feature in Industrials was the sharp decline in Imperial Tobaccos, due to the lack of the expected bonus announcement with the interim dividend of 7½ per cent., tax free, which is the same as a year ago. Other Tobaccos also eased, while Courtaulds suffered a further reaction, but rallied slightly towards the close.

CANADA'S PULP AND PAPER INDUSTRY.

Canada is coming to be recognised throughout the world as the great storehouse of paper-making material, and has now definitely come into first place as the producer of newsprint paper, the daily output of Canadian mills being about 200 tons greater than the corresponding production of newsprint mills in the United States; and the margin is constantly increasing. The statement that there are 115 pulp and paper mills in Canada does not convey a proper conception of the importance of the industry, since many of the Canadian companies are very large organisations producing upwards of 300 tons of newsprint per day, and in some cases operating more than one plant. By a considerable margin the majority of the Canadian companies are capitalised at figures that run into the millions, so that it is not surprising to find the total capitalisation of the Canadian mills as being roughly 500,000,000 dollars; this is fully three times the total capitalisation of ten years ago. There are paper mills in every province except Prince Edward Island and Saskatchewan, although the great majority are in Quebec. Even here we find a distinct tendency for a concentration of the industry at a few strategic points—strategic with regard to water-power, wood, and access to markets. In Quebec these foci are the head of the Saguenay River, and the mouth of the St. Maurice.

DUBLIN CORPORATION 5 PER CENT. STOCK.

Dealings have commenced in the new issue of Dublin Corporation 5 per cent Stock, the opening price being 96½. This stock is a full Trustee Security with dividends payable half-yearly, on 1st January and 1st July. At the current price the yield to a buyer is £5 3s. 6d. per cent. The stock is repayable at par in 1976, but the Corporation reserve the option to pay it off at par any time after 1946 on six months' notice. Stock is inscribed in the books of the Munster and Leinster Bank, and is transferable free of all charges in the same manner as the existing 3½ per cent. Dublin Corporation Stock.

CUT IN TYRE PRICES.

The Dunlop Rubber Company has notified its customers of an immediate reduction of 10 per cent. in tyres, and reductions approximating a cut of 7½ per cent. in tubes. A fortnight ago the American manufacturers intimated a reduction of 10 per cent. in their quotations, and the action taken by English manufacturers is noteworthy, having regard to the coal strike and enforced short time. The North British Rubber Company, however, at the week-end announced a reduction of 10 per cent. on Clincher and Rapson tyres, and by Monday's post Dunlop customers in the Manchester area received this company's revised price list. Manufacturers in the Manchester area will fall into line in the course of the next few days.

PROVINCIAL EXCHANGES.

BIRMINGHAM.—Motors busier. Morris Preference fell to 1/6 discount, but rallied to 4½d. discount. Singers spurted. Dunlops strong, after early weakness. Austin, 7/-; do. Debentures, 87½; Bluemels, 39/6; S.T.D., 3/-; Enfield, 31/9; Humbers, 45/3; Lucas, 77/6; Dennis, 77/4½; Napiers, 34/6; Rolls, 35/6; Rovers, 8/3; Singers, 51/3; Standards, 38/-; Swifts, 2/7½; Triumphs, 27/6; Dunlops, 27/7½; Parent Deferred, 35/6.

MANCHESTER.—Textiles quiet and rather unsettled. Bleachers 41/6-42/6, Calicos 28/-28/6, Dyers 48/6-49/6, Cottons 50/6-51/-, Spinners 42/-42/6, "Slubbers" 6/6-6/9, Coats 61/-61/6, Ship Canal 7½-7⅞, Velvets 20/9-21/3, Courtaulds 111/3-112/6, Dunlops 26/9-27/3, Amalgamated Cottons 5/3-5/6, Hoyle's, 24/-24/6, Hollins 21/-21/3.

BANKS.

THE
STANDARD BANK
OF SOUTH AFRICA (LIMITED).

Bankers to the Government of the Union of South Africa; to the Imperial Government in South Africa; and to the Governments of Northern Rhodesia, Southern Rhodesia, Nyasaland, and Tanganyika.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL	£10,000,000
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL	£8,916,660
PAID-UP CAPITAL	£2,229,165
RESERVE FUND	£2,893,335
UNCALLED CAPITAL	£6,687,495
	£11,809,995

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BERTRAM LOWNDES, London Manager.

LONDON MOVEMENTS.

Despite the prevailing dulness in practically every direction Gilt-edged Securities maintained a firm appearance, and at the close of business values were much the same as before.

A dull and easier tone was manifest in Foreign Government Stocks, French Loans falling back still further, the Fives being ½ down at 7½, while the Fours were no better than 6, or a further fall of ½, Italian Rentes went back rather sharply to 13, or a point lower, while Turkish Unified at 14¾ were ½ down. Peruvian Prefs. were down the turn to 46½. Egyptian Unified, on the other hand, were marked ¼ better at 83¾, while Portuguese Threes at 33½ were ½ firmer.

RAILS EASIER.

A quieter tone was evident in Home Rails, but the tendency was to still lower prices. Great Western Consolidated Prefs. dropped a point to 95½, and North-Eastern 5 p.c. Pref. Ord. at 50 and the 4 p.c. Second Pref. at 55 were both ½ down. Southerns, Metropolitan, and Undergrounds, however, were held at former levels.

A quiet, but slightly easier, tone ruled in Colonial and Foreign Rails, but actual price movements were few and far between. B.A.G.S. at 95½, and the Pacific and Western each at 86½, were ½ easier, while Cordoba Central Second Pref. at 53 also shed ½.

RUBBER SHARES SMALL.

Business continued on a small scale in the Rubber Share market yesterday, while a dull tone again characterised dealings. Price movements were fairly numerous, but while a number of improvements were registered at the close, the majority of alterations were against holders. A quiet and slightly easier tone was manifest in the commodity market, spot falling from 1s. 8½d. at the start to 1s. 8⅜d. per lb. at the close. In the Share market, Bukit Rajah dropped 1s. 3d., while B.N.B.R. Trust were 9d. easier at 19s. General Ceylon lost 1s., and Java Para 1s. 10½d., while Kuala Lumpur were also 1s. 10½d. lower on the day. Malacca shed 5s. 4½d. and Linggi lost 1s. 3d., while Sialang closed 2s. 6d. down. Batu Rata, on the other hand, were finally 1s. 3d. better, while Djember closed 1s. 6d. higher. Sendayan rose 1s. 3d., and Damansara and Highlands were 7½d. and 6d. higher respectively.

TEA SHARES DULL.

A dull tone ruled in the Tea Share market yesterday, business continuing on an extremely small scale. Ceylon Prop. went back to 74s. 7½d. or 1s. easier, while Chargola dropped 1s. 9d. to 27s. 3d. x.d. Borelli Shed 2s. 9d. and Assam Frontier closed 6d. lower on the day's business. Amalgamated Estates were a heavy spot, and here a decline of ⅛ was registered to 39⅛. Consolidated Tea and Lands were another dull market, the closing level of 29⅞ being ⅛ below Monday's figure. Dimbula Valley dropped 1s., and Imperials at 41s. 9d. were 1s. 1½d. lower. Singlo were a weak spot, being no less than 3s. 6d. lower at the close. Ceylon Plantation, on the other hand, firmed up appreciably, being 1s. 6d. higher at 128s. 9d., while Eastern Produce at 98s. 9d. were 1s. 3d. better. Dooars improved to 76s. 10½d. x.d., or 1½ harder.

BETTER TENDENCY IN OILS.

While it cannot be said that the volume of transactions in Oil shares showed much improvement yesterday, a better tendency prevailed among the leading issues, among which Shells and Royal Dutch received the bulk of attention. Eagles, after early depression, made a good rally. Venezuelans were dull, and movements in other issues were of an irregular character. Following the decline of the preceding day, Mexican Eagles opened with a dull appearance, fears existing that further selling might be encountered from Paris. As a matter of fact, sales were effected on behalf of that centre, causing a further decline in the shares to 18s. 4½d. In the afternoon, however, Paris turned a buyer, and a rally occurred to 19s., at which they closed, showing a gain of 3d. Paris was a buyer of Royal Dutch shares, and this fact, coupled with a moderate local demand, was responsible for a rise of ⅛ to 32⅜, the shares having been buyers at the price at one time. Shells rose 1/16, the Registered to 4⅞ and the Bearer to 4⅞, while the 7 per cent. Prefs. hardened to 25s. 7½d. Anglo-Americans, following New York advices, gave way 1/16 to 3⅜; Anglo-Persians, in the absence of demand, weakened 1/16 to 4⅜, and at one time were offered at the price; while Burmahs, after touching 5⅛, left off steady and unchanged at 5⅛. British Controlled were freely offered in the early hours, and fell to 9s. 10½d., while the final price of 10s. showed a decline of 4½d. Rather more resistance was shown by the Preferred shares, which, after weakening to 12s., closed at 12s. 4½d., which left them only 1½d. down on the day. V.O.C. Holdings, which fell at one time to 3⅛, left off with a shrinkage of 1/32 at 3⅛, but the Prefs. remained steady at 3¼.

INDUSTRIALS IRREGULAR.

Some sharp movements were witnessed in the Industrial Market yesterday, where the tone generally was irregular, with trading confined to the principal speculative counters. The outstanding feature was provided by "Imps." They opened steadily at around 110s. 3d., but when it became known that the usual interim dividend of 7½ per cent. tax free had been declared, without any reference to the expected bonus announcement, the price slumped to 107s. Buyers, however, soon came forward at this level and a rally to 108s. 9d. occurred, to be followed by a fall to 107s. 3d., after which there was a steady recovery to the closing figure of 109s. 9d. Thus on balance the decline only amounts to a few pence. "Bats" were a comparatively quiet market throughout, and in the absence of much support closed 1s. lower at 91s. 6d. for the registered, with the bearer finally 92s. The new Ord. shares changed hands between 70s. 6d. and 72s. 6d. prem., and the new Ord. Bonus shares at between 90s. and 93s., with the fractions dealt in up to 26s. 6d. Carreras lost ⅛ at 15¼ and Copes 1/16 at 3⅜. On the other hand, quiet support was forthcoming throughout for Godfrey Phillips, which gained 1/16 at 5½, after dipping to 5¼.

The tenor of the Celanese report did not help the Textile section, but after opening dull prices steadied, Courtaulds being finally unchanged on the day at 5⅝, after dipping during the morning to 5½; Bleachers at 41s. 6d. and Bradford Dyers at 48s. 6d. each lost 6d. Celanese issues were little affected by profit figures. The Ord. shed 3d. at 3s. 6d., but the Prefs. hardened slightly to 5s. 4½d. Calico Printers hardened to 28s. 3d., but Snias were rather offered at 2⅛. Charles Semons Notes were pressed for sale and fell 3¼ to 67½. On the other hand, the Ord. shares improved 6d. to 4s. 6d. Few changes were seen in the Electrical Equipment department, where buyers came forward for British Insulated, which improved 6d. to 67s. 6d. Coal, Steel and Engineering descriptions moved within narrow limits, though the tone was steady. Quite a good trading was reported for Breweries, where Watney Def. further strengthened and finished 3½ up at 283½, business being recorded up to 286. Investment buying of Truman Hanbury Pref. sent the price up ½ to 6⅜. Distillers recovered 1/16 to 2⅜, but small declines were registered by Benskins at 1⅞, Glasgow Bonding at 26s. 6d., Ind Coope at 65s., and South African Breweries at 2½. Fears concerning the dividend led to further sales of Marconis, which dipped at one time to 18s. 9d., but rallied later to 20s., with the Pref. marked down 1/16 to 1⅛.

Foodstuffs held firm, with further support forthcoming for Liptons, which gained another 3d. at 13s. 9d. Newspaper issues continued on the down grade, "Mirrors" easing to 5⅞ and "Pictorials" to 3⅞. Motor Shares were fairly firm. Good support was given to Morris Motors Pref., which strengthened to 6d. discount. In the Miscellaneous department Columbia Gramophones suffered a sharp set-back to 50s. 6d. on the somewhat disappointing meeting of its subsidiary. Columbia International Gramophones were also easier at 63s. 1½d. Dunlops dipped at one time to 26s. 9d., but improved during the afternoon to 27s. 7½d., at which they finished 3d. better on balance. In other directions Swedish Match "B" Shares further improved to 15⅛, and Holdborough Cement were a firmer market at 25s. 6d. Underwriting arrangements were in progress yesterday for an issue of Preference Shares in the Perak Hydro-Electric Power Company. It is expected also that there will be an issue of £1,300,000 Debentures under the Trade Facilities Act.

IRISH TRAFFIC RECEIPTS.

	Last Week. — Decrease. £	Total 28 Weeks. — Decrease £
Gt. Southern ..	86,487—3,986	2,152,115—84,706
Gt. Northern ..	37,780—4,350	853,300—97,230
Co. Down ..	8,384—2,380	108,789—35,430

LATEST CLOSING AND STREET PRICES.

CONSOLS, ETC.

Consols	55-56	4½% Conv. Ln.	95½-96½
War Ln. 3½%.	88¼-89	5½ Treas. Bds.	102-102½
do. 4½%	95-96	Irish Lnd. 2¾%	57-59
do. 5%	100½-101½	India 3%	60-61
do. 4% (Tax Free)	100¼-101	do. 3½%	69-71
Fund'g L'n ...	86-87	do. 5½% ...	101½-102½
Victory Bds ...	93-94	do. 7%	103-104
3½% Conv. Ln.	75¾-76½	Local Lns. ...	63-63½
		Sudan 5½% ...	106-108

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT STOCK.

Aust. Com. 5½%	99-101	Q'sland 4, '40-50...	80-82
do. 6%	103-105	do. 6% '30-40...	100-102
Brit. Col. 4½ '41	92-94	S. Africa 4% Cns.	86-88
Canada 4%	88-90	do. 6%	102-104
Cape 3½ Cons....	78-80	S.A'stral'n 4, '40-60	80-82
Ceylon 6%	106-108	do. 6½%	102-104
N.S.W. 4½ '22-7	98-100	Victoria 4, '40-60	82-84
do. 5½ 1922-7...	99-101	do. 6½% 1923-5...	100-102
do. 6½% 1930-40	102-4	W. Aus. 5½% '35-45	98-100
N. Zeal'd 4, '29.	96-98	do. 6% 1930-40...	101-103
Nigeria 6%	111-113		

BANKS.

Anglo S. Amer.	6⅞-7⅛	Lloyds	62/9-63/9
Australasia	13¾-14¼	Midland	8½-8¾
Bank N.S.W....	44¾-45¼	Nat. Dis. B	8¾-8⅞
do. N.Z. ...	2¾-3¼	Nat. Prov (£4)	12⅝-12⅞* −⅛
Barclays A ...	7¾-8	Royal of Can.	50½-52½
Brit. Overseas	4⅞-5⅛	Stand. S.A....	13¼-13¾
Can. of Com....	44½-46	Un. Australia	13-13½
Char. of India	21⅛-21⅞	Westminster	18¾-19¼*
Hong Kong ...	131-134		

FOREIGN BONDS.

M.U.—July 19.				
99½	Argentine 1886	98	100	
80	Do. 4 p.c. Rescissions	79	81	
93½	Do. 5 p.c., 1909 ...	94	96	
59½	Brazil 4 p.c., 1889 ...	58	60	
91	Do. Funding, 1908....	90	92	
83½	Do. 5 p.c., 1914 ...	82	84	
90½	Chinese 5 p.c., 1896 ..	90	92	
74½	Do. 4½ p.c., 1898 ...	73	75	
60½	Do. 5 p.c., 1912 ..	59	62	
105	Czecho-Slovakia Bonds...	104	106	
83½	Egyptian Unified	83½	84¼	+¼
8½	French Loan	7	8	−½
6½	Do. 4 p.c.	5½	6½	−1
104½	German 7 p.c.	104	105	
93½	Greek Loan	92½	93½	
14	Italian Rentes	12	14	−1
92	Japan 4 p.c., 1905 ...	91	94	
94	Do. 6 p.c., 1924 ...	93½	94½	
47	Mexican 5 p.c., '99	50	60	
49	Do. 6 p.c. 10-Y. Treas	55		
6½	Peruvian Corporation ...	6¼	6¾	
47½	Do. Pref.	46	47	−½
99½	Do. Deb.	99	101	
33½	Portuguese 3 p.c.	32½	34½	+½
—	Spanish 4 p.c.	66	71	
15½	Turkish Unified	14½	15½	−½
66½	Uruguay 3½ p.c.	66	67	

BRITISH RAILS.

84½	Great Western	83½	84½	
—	Do. Cons. Pref.	94	97	−1
70½	Ldn., Mid. & Scot. Ord..	69½	70½	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref.........	72	74	
—	Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pref...	95	98	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref., 1923.	70	72	
51½	Ldn. North-East 5 p.c. Pref. Ord.	49½	50½	−½
16½	Do. Def. Ord.	16	16½	
—	Do. 4 p.c. 1st Pref. ..	64	67	
—	Do. 4 p.c. 2nd Pref....	54	56	−½
64	Metropolitan	63	64	
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	90	93	
52½	Do. District	52	53	
77½	Southern Pref. Ord.	76½	77½	
43½	Do. Def. Ord.	43	44	
40½	Do. "A"	40	41	
10½	Do. "B"	10	11	
3½	Underground Electric ...	3½	3¾	
102	Do. Income Bonds	101	103	
105	Do. 6 p.c. Debs.	102	104	

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

82½	Antofagasta	82	84	
—	Argentine G.W. Ord ...	80	82	
—	Bahia Blanca	81	83	
—	Brazil Railway Common.	1	2	
95½	Buenos Ayres Gt. S. ...	94½	96½	−½
86½	Buenos Ayres and Pacific	85½	87½	−½
86½	Buenos Ayres and W. ...	85½	87½	−½
168½	Canadian Pacific	168	170	
74½	Central Argentine	74	76	
77	Central Uruguay	76	78	
32½	Cordoba Central	32	34	
82	Do. 1st Pref.	81½	83½	
53½	Do. 2nd Pref.	52	54	−½
58½	Entre Rios	57½	59½	
—	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	85	87	
—	Grand Trunk Pac. Deb.	38	40	
—	Grand Trunk 4 p.c. Guar.	77	79	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Perp. Deb..	79	81	
41½	Leopoldina	40½	42½	
8	Mexican Rails	7½	8½	
23	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	22	24	
12½	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	12	14	
190	San Paulo Ord.	187	192	
77½	United Havana	76½	78½	

AMERICAN RAILS.

—	Atchison	140	142	
—	Baltimore	100	102	+1
—	Chesapeake	145	147	−1
—	Chicago, Milwaukee	10	11	
36½	Erie	36	38	
—	Do. 1st Pref.	46	48	
—	New York, Ontario	24	26	
120½	Southern Common	119	121*	−1
—	Do. Pref.	94	96	
—	Southern Pacific	109	111	−1
158	Union Pacific	157	159	

BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES.

20/9	Allsopp £1 Shares	1⅛	1¼	
93½	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	92	95	
—	Bass, Ratcliff 5 p.c. Pref.	84	88	
48/3	Do. Ord.	2⅜	2½	
56/0	Distillers Ord.	2⅛	2⅜	+1/16
710	Guinness	705	725	
—	Do. Pref.	116	118	
21/6	Peter Walker Ord.	21/0	22/0	
50/6	South African Breweries	2⅞	2⅞	−1/16
21/0	Walker (John) Pref.	21/3	22/3	
272	Watney Combe Def.	281	286	+3½

FOODSTUFFS AND STORES.

27/9	Aerated Bread	1½	1⅜	
42/6	Bovril Def.	42/0	43/0	
3/0	Crosse and Blackwell ...	2/6	3/6	
13/0	Lipton	13/3	14/3	+0/3
31/6	Lovell and Christmas ...	1½	1⅜	
3⅞	Lyons (J.)	3⅞	4	
—	Mackintosh (J.) Pref.....	23/3	24/3	
5/6	Maypole Def.	5/6	5/9	
—	Smithfield Arg. Meat ...	⅛	⅜	
2	Spratt's Patent	1⅞	2⅛	
—	Union Cold Storage Pref.	18/6	19/6	
23/1½	Van Den Berghs	1⅛	1⅛	
—	Do. Pref.	4⅞	5⅛	

DUBLIN BUSINESS DONE.

Government National 5 per cent. Loan repeated 98½, and the Compensation 5 per cent. Stock 97½ for odd lots.

In British Funds, Consols rose 1/16 to 55⅞, but Irish Land 3 per cent. eased 1/16 to 62⅞, and India 3½ per cent. ⅛ to 69⅜, while War Loan 5 per cent. repeated 101⅛, and Funding Loan 86⅜.

In Corporation issues, Dublin 3½ per cent. was wanted at last price, 68¾, and the New 5 per cent. repeated 96½.

Banks were quiet.

Bank Stock fell ¾ to 278½ for cash, but Nationals rose 1/16 to 20⅛, while Munster and Leinsters repeated 7½.

In Breweries, Guinness Ordinary fell ⅛ to 71½, and were on sale for cash.

Rails were sellers. Great Southern fell ¼ to 21⅛, and the Debentures repeated 59½. Great Northern Preference fell ½ to 42, and the Debentures 1⅞ to 62 for a small lot.

In Trams, Dublin United Ordinary repeated 6⅜, but the "A" 3½ p.c. Debentures fell ½ to 63½.

Dunlop Rubber Ord. fell 4½d. to 27s., 26s. 10½d., 27s., but Parent Trust Pref. rose 3d. to 13s. 6d., 13s. 9d. nominally, while the Ord. fell 3d. to 19s. 6d., and the Deferred 3d. to 34s. 6d.

Manufacturing Shares were disposed to fluctuate. Coats fell 3d. to 61s. 6d., but Bleachers rose 1s. 3d. to 41s. 9d. British-American Tobacco rose 6d. to 92s. 6d., and the new Ord. fetched 72s. 6d. premium, or the same price, and the bonus shares also fetched 92s. 6d. Lever Bros. 7 p.c. Pref. rallied 1½d. to 19s. 4½d. and the 8 p.c. 1½d. to 18s. 3d. for cash and new account. Imperial Tobaccos opened 6d. lower at 110s. 9d., and fell later to 109s. 6d. on the interim dividend being unaltered and no mention of bonus shares.

In Trading, etc., Burke Pref. fell 2s. 7d. to 70s. and the Debs. 1/16 to 8.

Other business was in Radio Common at 8⅜, a fall of 1/16, while the Preferred realised 9⅜, the previous quotation.

BUSINESS DONE.

National Loan	(98½) 98¼	Parent Pf.	(13/4½) 13/6b 13/9a
Compensation Stock	(97½) *97¼	Do. Ord.	(19/9) 19/6
Consols	(55⅛) 55⅞	Do. Def.	(34/9) 34/6
5% War Loan	(101⅛) 101⅛	Bleachers	(40/6) 41/9
Fund. Loan	(86⅜) 86⅜	Coats	(61/9) 61/6
War Bonds 1928	105⅛	Courtaulds	(113/0) 110/6 11/- 11/3 12/-
3% Land	(62½) 62⅞	B.A.T.	(92/-) 92/6
India 3½%	(69½) 69⅜	Do. New	72/6 prem.
Dublin 3½%	(68¾) 68⅜b	Imp. Tob.	(111/3) 110/9 9/6
Do. 5%	(96½) 96½	Lever 7%	(19/3) 19/4½
Bank Stock	(279½) 278½c	Do. 8%	(18/1½) 18/3 /3c
Mun. & Lein.	(7½) 7½	Burke Pref.	(72/7) 70/-
National	(20½) 20⅛	Do. Deb.	(8⅛) 8
Guinness	(71¾) 71½	Dunlops	(27/4½) 27/- 6/10½
G.S. Ord.	(21⅜) 21⅛	Radio Common	8⅜
Do. Deb.	(59½) 59½	Do. Pref.	9⅜
G.N. Pref.	(42½) 42		
Do. Deb.	(63⅞) *62		
Dublin Tram	(6⅜) 6⅜		
Do. A Deb.	(64) *63½		
Do. 5½% Deb.	95½		

* Odd lot, b bid, a asked, c cash.
(Last business done given in parentheses.)

IRISH BANKS RATE.

Discount .... 6 p.c. Dec. 3, 1925.
Deposit .... 2½ p.c. Dec. 3, 1925.

STOCK EXCHANGE SETTLEMENTS.

Contango		Aug. 9
Mining ticket		Aug. 10
General ticket	July 21	Aug. 11
Account day	July 22	Aug. 12

BELFAST.

Belfast Exchange was moderately active yesterday. War Loan changed hands at 101 and 101⅛, War Loan 4 p.c. at 100⅜, 3½ p.c. Conversion Loan at 76⅛ on 19th, and business was also recorded yesterday at 76. Guaranteed Irish Land stock (1921) brought 64. Ulster Loan 90⅜. In Bank shares, a small odd lot of Northern Bank "A" was done at 5⅜. Railway stocks were unaltered. In Industrials, a transaction in Guinness Ord. at 71½ on 19th inst. was marked. J. and P. Coats Ord. brought 61s. 3d., and Belfast Ropeworks Ord. repeated previous price, 85. Bank Buildings Ord. were dealt in at 5⅛ for cash. Dunlop Rubbers changed hands at 27s. 1½d., and 27s. 3d., Swedish Match "B" at 15⅛, Shell Transports at 4⅞, and British-American Tobacco New at 72s. 6d., and Fractions at 24s.

IRON AND STEEL.

M.U.—July 19.				
4/3	Armstrong (W. G.) ...	4/3	5/3	+0/3
7/4½	Cammell Laird	7/0	8/0	
9/0	Dorman Long	8/6	9/6	
11/6	John Brown	11/6	12/6	+0/6
7/3	Do. (15/- paid)..........	6/9	7/9	
—	Pease and Partners	11/0	12/0	
—	South Durham Steel	2⅛	2⅜	
26/3	Siemens	25/6	26/6	
—	United Steel	4/3	5/3	
7/3	Vickers Ord.	7/1½	7/7½	+0/1½

LAND AND INVESTMENT.

—	Aboukir Land	1	1⅛	
35/0	Argentine Land Invest..	1⅜	1⅜	
26/0	Do. Southern Land ...	1⅛	1⅜	
7/6	B.N.B. Land	7/0	8/0	
23/0	Forestal Land	22/9	23/3	+0/1½
5⅛	Hudson's Bay Ord........	5⅛	5⅜*	
6/6	Pekin Syndicate	6/3	6/9	
14/6	Rio Negro Lands	1⅛	1⅛	
4⅛	Sudan Plantations	4⅜	4⅜	−1/16

NEWSPAPERS.

6⅛	Assd. Newspapers Def....	6⅛	6⅜*	
40/0	Allied News Ord.	39/0	40/0	−0/6
6	Daily Mirror Ord	5⅞	6	−1/16
3⅛	Sunday Pictorial Ord ...	3⅜	3⅛	−⅛

NITRATES.

9	Allanza	8½	9½*	
17/0	Lagunas Nitrate	13/0	15/0	
3⅞	Lautaro Nitrate	3⅜	3⅞	
26/0	Liverpool Nitrate	1⅜	1⅜	−⅛
2⅛	London Nitrate	2⅛	2⅜	
15/6	Rosario Nitrate	⅜	⅝	
1⅛	Santiago Nitrate	1⅜	1⅝	
9/6	Tarapaca Nitrate	9/0	10/0	

OILS.

3⅜	Anglo-American	3⅜	3⅜—	1/16
1⅜	Ang'o-Ecuadorian	1⅜	1⅜—	1/16
1	Anglo-Egyptian "B"	1	1⅛	
27/1½	Anglo-Persian 8 p.c.	27/0	27/6	
27/6	Do. 9 p.c. 2nd Pref. ...	27/4½	27/10½	
4⅜	Do. Ord., issued 3½ p.c.	4⅜	4⅜—	1/16
95½	Do. 5 p.c. Deb.	95	96	
2⅛	Apex Trinidad	2⅜	2⅜	
⅜	Attock	⅜	½	
11/10½	Brit. Borneo Pet. (10/-)....	11/3	11/9	
7/3	British Burmah (8/-)	7/0	7/6	
10/6	British Controlled	9/10½	10/1½	−0/4½
12/9	Do. Pref.	12/3	12/6	−0/1½
5⅛	Burmah	5⅛	5⅛	
27/0	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	26/10½	27/4½	
1/6	Caltex	1/4½	1/7½	−0/1½
3⅞	Eagle Transport	3⅜	3⅞	
100½	Do. 7 p.c. Notes.	100	101	
101½	Do. Bearer	101	102	
14/7½	Kern River (10/-)	14/4½	14/10½	−0/1½
4⅛	Lago	4⅛	4⅜—	1/16
6⅛	Lobitos	6⅛	6⅜—	1/16
19/0	Mexican Eagle	18/9	19/3	+0/3
18/9	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	17/9	18/3	+0/3
16/1½	Do. 7 p.c. 1st Pref. ...	16/0	16/6	+0/1½
3/6	North Caucasian (10/-) ...	3/0	4/0	
3/6	Omnium	3/4½	3/7½	
1/6	Oropuche (4/- sh. f.p.) ...	1/1½	1/4½	
19/0	Phoenix	18/9	19/3	
32¼	Royal Dutch	32¼	32½+	⅛
4⅜	Shell Transport	4⅜	4⅞+	1/16
9⅞	Do. 5 p.c. Pref. (£10)	9⅞	10⅛	
25/7½	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	25/4½	25/10½	+0/1½
1/3	Spies (10/-)	1/1½	1/4½	
11/3	Steaua Romana	10/9	11/3	−0/3
8/0	Tankers Pref.	7/9	8/3	
14/3	Trinidad Central	14/0	14/6	+0/3
2⅛	Trinidad Lease	2⅛	2⅜	
7/0	United Brit. Trinidad	6/7½	6/10½	−0/1½
3/6	Ural Caspian	2/6	3/6	
3⅛	V.O.C. Holdings	3⅛	3⅛—	1/32
3⅛	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	3⅛	3⅜	

RUBBERS.

3/9	Amal. Rubber Est.	3/6¾	−0/0¾
59/0	Anglo-Dutch	5/4½	−0/6
7/9	Anglo-Java	7/3½	−0/1½
1⅜	Anglo-Malay	39/4½	
9/7½	Bertam Cons.	9/9	
6/6	Bukit Mertajam	6/6¾	+0/0¾
3/6	Bukit Sembawang	3/6	+0/0¾
1⅞	Buntar	19/0	
1⅜	Damansara	28/10½	+0/7½
2⅜	Grand Central	51/1½	−0/3
3⅛	Highlands	60/1½	−0/6
2⅞	Java Para	65/7½	−1/10½
29/9	Jugra Land	30/3	+0/4½
6/4½	Kamuning	6/3	−0/1½
10/4½	Kepong	10/1½	+0/1½
3½	Kuala Lumpur	75/0	−1/10½
2⅜	Kuala Muda	51/9	−0/9
3⅝	Labu	62/6	
2¾	Linggi	54/8¼	−1/3
7/0	London Asiatic	6/11¼	−0/0¾
7⅝	Malacca	66/3	−5/4½
47/9	Malayalam	47/6	−0/1½
6/3	Merliman	6/2¾	
7⅜	Mooply Valley	45/7½	
45/9	Rubber Trust	45/4½	−0/4½
4/1¼	Rubber Est. of Krian	4/3	
2⅝	Seafield (New)	51/3	
2⅞	Sendayan	55/7½	+1/3
2⅞	Sialang	67/9	−2/6
1⅜	Straits Rubber	26/3	
7/6	Sumatra Para	7/5¼	−0/2¼
1⅜	Tali Ayer	79/10½	
3⅞	Tandjong	78/3	−1/3
1⅞	Tandjong Malim	37/3	
7/9	United Serdang	7/8¼	−0/2¼
5⅜	United Sua Betong	105/0	
26/0	Vallambrosa	26/0	−0/1½

Abaco	82/6		Ledbury	66/3	
Allagar	4/6	−0/1½	Lendu	32/6	
Allied Sum ...	23/7½		Loengoer	2/9	−0/3
Ampat	9/3		Manch'ter N.B.	45/9	
Anglo-Sum ...	28/9		Membakut	29/9*	
Asahan	24/6		Mendaris	39/0	−0/6
Bah Lias	40/0	−0/6¾	N. Hummock ..	36/0	
Batu Tiga	65/0	+1/3	New Haycep...	2/4	
Baru (Java) ...	75/0		P.P.K. (C'yl'n)	36/3	
Batang	2/10½		Pahi Plis (1/2p)	2/7	
Bernam Perak	51/3		Pataling	18/9	
B.N.B.R. Trst	19/0	−0/9	Pegoh	61/9	
Broome Sel ...	32/9		Pilmoor	56/10½	
Bukit Cloh ...	8/9		Port Dickson.	5/4½	−0/0¾
Bukit Kajang	70/0		Ratanui	45/3¾	
Bukit Rajah...	47/6	−1/3	Rim Malacca..	6/1½	
Castlefield ...	12/0		Rub. F. Johore	32/3	
Ceylon Timber	7/6		Sapong	73/3	
Chersonese	3/10½		Sapumalk'de..	31/10½	
Cheviot	5/9	−0/1½	Sedenak	53/9	
Cicely	10/1½	+0/3	Sekong	19/0	+0/3
Dennistown ...	7/0		Selangor	7/2¼	
Djember	66/6	+1/6	Sembilan	85/0	
East Asiatic...	4/8¼	−0/0¾	Sepang Fel....	28/3	
Eastern Sum..	4/1½		Serdang C'ntl.	4/3	
Eastern Trust	42/0		Seramban	23/0	
F.M.S. Plant..	75/0		Sing United...	3/6¾	+0/0¾
Gadjah	11/7½	+0/3	Singapore Par	2/11¼	−0/0¾
Gen. Ceylon...	17/3	−1/0	Soember Ajoe.	4/2¼	
Glenbervie ...	18/9		Sumatra Con...	46/3	
Glenshiel	24/3		Sungei Pueya.	58/9	−0/7½
Golden Hope...	46/10½		Sungei Choh...	31/9	
Golconda	56/6		Sungei Kapar.	7/6	
Hongkong Sel.	60/7½		Sungei Kr. Pf.	70/0	
Insulinde	3/5¼		Taiping	2/9	
Java Amal....	53/0		Temiang	57/9	
Johore River..	2/4¼		Tebrau	67/6	
Kali Java	3/11¼	−0/0¾	Telogoredjo ...	68/10½	+0/1½
Kasintce	42/9		Tempeh	3/4½	
Kepitigalla ...	3/6¾		Timbang Delhi	1/11¼	−0/0¾
Kombok	5/1½		Toerangie	53/0	
Kuala Sel	8/6¾		Un. Temiang...	4/9	
Kwaloe	4/1½		Waverley	3/1½	−0/1½
Langkat Sum	41/0	−0/3	Yam Seng	6/0	

SHIPPING.

15/0	Cairn Line	13/6	15/6
10/9	Cargo Fleet	9/9	10/9
—	Court Line	25/6	26/6
—	Cunard Ord.	16/6	17/6
18/3	Elder Dempster 6 p.c. Pf.	17/6	18/6
—	Furness, Withy	30/9	31/0
—	P. and O. Def.	245	255
—	Royal Mail Ord.	82	85

TEAS.

Amal. Estates	39⅛	−⅛	Galaha Ceylon	48/7½	−0/4½
Assam Co.	48/6		Imperial	41/9*	−1/1½
Assam Dooars	50½		Jetigna Valley	48/9	
Assam Front'r	30/0*	−0/6	Jhanzie	84/4½	
Bog'want'lawa	82/6		Jokai	85/7½*	
Borelli	86/10½	−2/9	Jorehaut	89/0*	
Brahmapootra.	37¼	−¼	Lanka	53/9	
Brit. Indian ...	68/6		Lebong	72/6	
Budla Beta	6⅜		Kanan Devan.	3⅝	
Ceylon Plant..	128/9	+1/6	Lungla	29/9	−0/3
Ceylon Prop...	74/7½	−1/0	Makum	39/3*	
Chargola	27/3*	−1/9	Mosbund	57/6	
Chubwa	88/6		Nederm	54/3	
Chulsa	60/11¼		New Dimbula.	122/6	
Con. Tea & L.	29⅞	−⅛	Nuwara Eliya	95/0*	
Darjeeling Co.	43/0		Ouvah	88/9	
Ditto Consol...	59/-*†		Peacock & Nil	4/9¾	
Deundi	23/9		Pabbojan	136/3	
Dima	5⅜		Pundaloya	88/3	
Dimbula Val...	71/3	−1/0	Rosehaugh C'y	42/6	
Dooars	76/10½*	+0/1½	Scottish Assam	40/0	
Doom Dooma...	91/10½		Scot. T. & Ln.	53/9	
E. Assam	78/4*		Singlo	67/6	−3/6
East Produce..	98/9	+1/3	Travancore	91/3	
Empire	58/0*		Up. Assam	56/3	

TELEGRAPHS.

24½	Anglo-American Def.......	24¼	24¾	
1⅛	Marconi Wireless Ord....	1⅛	1⅛	
—	Do. Pref.	1⅛	1⅛	−1/16
—	Do. Debs.	101½	102½	
20/6	Do. Marine	20/0	21/0	
4/3	Do. Canada	4/0	4/6	
—	Oriental Telephone	2⅛	2⅜	
9	Radio Corporation	8½	9	
9¾	Do. Pref. ($50)	9¼	9¾	

TEXTILES AND STORES.

5/4½	Amalgamated Cotton....	5/1½	5/7½	
42/0	Bleachers	41/0	42/0	−0/6
49/0	Bradford Dyers	48/0	49/0	−0/6
3/9	British Celanese Ord......	3/3	3/9	−0/3
28/0	Calico Printers	28/0	28/6	+0/3
61/3	Coats	60/9	61/9	
5⅝	Courtaulds	5⅜	5⅝	
50/7½	English Sewing Cotton..	2⅜	2⅜	
42/0	Fine Spinners	41/9	42/9	
2⅛	Grouts	2⅜	2⅜	
45/9	Harrods	45/0	46/0	
21/0	Hollins (Wm.)	1	1⅛	
—	Linen Thread Ord.	32/9	33/9	
22/0	Lister Ord.	21/6	22/6	
—	Selfridge 6 p.c. Pref. ...	1⅛	1⅜	

MISCELLANEOUS INDUSTRIALS.

27/9	African and East. Trade..	27/0	28/0	−0/6
19/0	Amal. Dental Pref.-Ord...	19/0	20/0	
3⅜	Anglo-Argentine 1st Pref.	3	3¼	−⅛
17/6	Associated Cement	17/3	17/9	
18/4½	Do. Pref.	18/3	18/9	+0/1½
34/0	Borax Con. Def.	33/6	34/6	−0/6
103½	Brazilian Traction	103	105	
36/0	British Portland Cement.	35/6	36/0	
14/6	B.S.A	13/9	14/9	−0/3
26/9	British Oil and Cake ...	25/9	26/9	−0/6
107	Brit. Col. Elec. Rail. Pf.	105½	108½	
—	Do. 4½ p.c. Debs.	87	90	
92/6	Brit.-Amer. Tobacco ...	91/3	91/9†	−1/0
35/3	Brunner Mond	34/9	35/9	
48/0	Bryant and May	47/0	48/0	−0/6
15⅜	Carreras	15⅛	15⅜	−⅛
28/0	Dunlop Rubber	27/6	27/9	+0/3
—	Do. 6 p.c. Deb.	102½	104½	
23/6	Do. "C" Prefs.	1⅛	1⅛	
—	English Electric	13/3	14/3	
—	Finlay (James)	3⅞	4	
30/0	General Electric Ord.....	29/3	30/3	−0/3
—	Do. Deb.	104	107	
—	Gramophone Ord.	3⅛	3⅜	−1/16
111/0	Imperial Tobacco Ord....	109/6	110/0	−0/4½
12/3	Jute Indus. Pref.	12/0	13/0	
—	Lancashire Electric	23/0	25/0	
—	Do. 7 p.c. Par. Pref...	25/0	27/0	
19/6	Lever 7 p.c. Pref.	19/3	19/9	
—	Lever 8 p.c. Debs.	93	95	
14½	Mexican Trams	15	18	
—	Do. Bonds	70	73	
75½	Do. L. and P. Bonds..	71	74	
27/9	Nobel Ord.	26/0	27/0	−0/3
21/3	Do. Pref.	21/0	21/6	
—	Do. Def.	12/0	13/0	
1⅛	Parent Trust Def.	1⅛	1⅜	
19/6	Do. Ord	⅞	1⅛	
25/6	Platt Bros. Ord.	25/0	26/0	
—	Prov. Cine. 7½% Pf.-Ord.	⅜	⅜	−⅛
1⅛	Rolls Royce	34/6	35/6	−0/3
29/0	Salt Union	1⅜	1⅛	
101½	San Paulo Tram Deb..	98	103	
—	Shawinigan Water Debs.	103	108	
14⅛	Swedish Match "B".....	15⅛	15⅛	+1/16
38/3	Schweppes Def.	1⅜	1⅜	
—	Taylor's Service	24/6	25/6	
—	Tilling Ord.	2⅜	2⅜	
—	Do. 5½ p.c. Cum. Pref.	4⅜	4⅜	
—	United Alkali	1⅛	1⅛	
34/9	Wallpaper Def.	35/0	35/6	
43/1	Westminster Elec..........	2⅛	2¼	

* Ex div. † Ex rights. ‡ Cum div. ‖ x bonus.

LONDON MINING MARKET FIRM.

BIG TURNOVER IN COPPERS.

In the Mining Market a rather more cheerful tendency developed in the later dealings, and the tone at the close was quite firm. Kaffirs were at first inclined to dulness, not only on Paris advices, but also on a little offering from Johannesburg, but the latter centre turned round in the afternoon and bought a few of its specialities, so that movements on balance were by no means all one way. Central Mining were a firm spot and "Johnnies" closed appreciably higher, and Union Corporation and "Generals" were being picked up and finished higher. Thanks to the better advices from the Cape, Platinum issues were harder inclined "T.C.L." and S.A. Townships marking recoveries. There was not a great deal of business passing in Rhodesians, and Chartered, after modest fluctuations, left off a trifle on the wrong side. Tanks and Zams were steady in anticipation of the report of the former, and Cam and Motor held their ground. Rhodesian and General Asbestos were easier, but a good demand existed for Congo Border, and the price advanced sharply. Bwana M'Kubwa, however, eased slightly. In the Diamond group, De Beers Pref. were again the chief feature, a further investment demand being noticeable. The Deferred and Jagersfontein were on offer, and Consolidated Diamonds lost the turn. The price of tin further rose £2 10s. to £285 2s. 6d. per ton, and the share market was quite active. In many cases, however, floating supplies were very limited. Eastern descriptions were helped materially by the statements made at the Tronoh meeting. Tronoh themselves were a good market, and Sungei Besi, also on the meeting, were in strong request, while Bangrin, Pahang and one or two others strengthened. A further jump in the price of lead and a modest improvement in spelter had little influence in Barriers, for although there were inquiries actual buying was on a small scale, and the only quotable alteration was a trifling rise in Zinc Ord. Coppers were firm with Tintos again in request, and quite a big turnover was witnessed in the Canadian section, where Mining Corporation, Keeley and Canadian Lorrain were all wanted both here and on Toronto account. Closing prices:—

SOUTH AFRICAN.

M.U. July 19.			
2¼	Anglo-Amer. Corp ...	2-2¼	
18/9	Anglo-French	18/6-19/0	
4⅝	Brakpan	4¼-4⅜	
16¾	Cent. Min'g (£8) ...	16½-17	+ ¼
3/0	Central W'st (5/) ...	2/9-3/3	
1⅛	City Deep	1⅛-1⅜	− ⅛
1⅛	Con. Goldfields	1⅛-1⅜	+ ⅛
14/5	Cons. Main Reef ...	14/6-15/3	+0/6
1⅛	Con. M. Sel. (10/) ...	12/9-13/3	
2⅞	Crown Mines (10/)	3⅛-3¼	− ⅛
1⅛	Durban Deep	13/0-14/0	−0/6
10/9	E. Rand Prop ...	10/1½-10/4½	−1/1½
4	Geduld	3⅞-4⅛	
36/9	Gen. Mining	36/9-37/3	+0/6
11/0	G. M. Investment	10/9-11/3	
8⅛	Gover'ment Mines	8⅛-8⅜	
3/9	Hendies Plat. (5/)	3/7½-3/10½	
4/3	Hendersons (5/) ...	4/0-4/-	−0/1½
48/5	Johan'burg I'vs...	48/3-48/9	+0/6
4/0	Kleinfontein	3/9-4/3	−0/3
12/0	Knight's	12/0-12/6	
18/9	Langlaagte Est....	18/9-19/3	+0/6
10/0	Lydenburg Plat ...	10/6-11/0	
3⅛	Meyer & Charlton	3-3⅛	
4⅞	M'derfontein (10/)	4⅞-5⅛	
22/3	Modder B (5/)	22/0-22/6	
1⅛	Modder Deep (5/).	1⅛-1⅜	− ⅛
17/6	Modder East........	1⅞-1⅞	− ⅛
2⅛	New State Areas...	2⅛-2⅛	− ⅛
7/6	Nigel	6/6-7/6	
8/3	Nourse Mines	8/0-8/6	−0/3
2⅛	Rand Mines (5/)...	2⅛-3	
15/0	Randfontein	14/6-15/0	
1⅜	Robinson Dp. B...	1⅜-1⅛	
1⅛	Rob'son D A (1/)...	1-1⅛	
6/9	Rose Deep	6/3-6/9	−0/3
⅜	S A. Gold Trust...	⅜-⅜	+ 1/16
19/0	S.A. Towns (10/)...	18/9-19/3	+0/3
3⅛	Springs Mines......	3⅛-3⅛	− ⅛
24/3	Sth. W. Africa ...	24/0-25/0	
2⅞	Sub Nigel	2⅝-2⅞	− ⅛
3⅛	Trans. and Del. B.	3⅛-3⅛*	
2⅞	Trans. Con L (10/).	2⅛-2⅜	+ ⅛
12/6	Trans. Devel	13/-13/6	+1/3
2⅛	Union Corp (12/6	2⅛-2⅜	+ ⅛
18/9	Van Ryn	18/3-18/9	−0/3
2⅞	Van Ryn Deep ...	2⅝-2⅞	
38/0	Vereeniging..........	38/0-39/0	
6/3	Village Deep	6/0-6/6	−0/3
16/3	West Rand Con....	15/9-16/3	−0/3
29/3	West Springs......	28/3-28/9	−0/6
1⅛	Wit'ersrand Deep	1⅛-1⅛	− 1/32

RUSSIAN.

⅛	Lena Gold	5/6-6/0
4/0	Russo-Asiat. Cns...	3/9-4/3
4/0	Russian Mining ...	3/0-4/0
⅛	Spassky	7/6-8/6

RHODESIAN.

M.U. July 19			
10/0	Bechuanaland Ex	10/3-10/9	
8/0	Beira Town Sites..	8/6-9/-	
7/6	Bwana M'Kubwa	7/4½-7/7½	−1/1½
¾	Cam and Motor....	2⅝-2⅞	
28/9	Chart'd B.S.A ...	28/0-28/3	−1/3
5/0	Falcon	5/0-5/6	
17/9	Gaika Gold..........	17/0-18/0	
9/0	Globe & Phœnix (5/)	8/6-9/0	
10/0	Gold F. Rho. (10/)	9/9-10/3	+1/3
1⅛	Lonely Reef	1-1⅛	− 1/16
1⅛	Rezende	1⅛-1⅛	
5/3	R. Broken Hill (5/)	5/1½-5/4½	
6	R. Congo Border.	5⅞-6⅛	+ ¼
13/1½	Selukwe (2/6) ...	12/7½-12/10½	−0/3
1⅛	Shamva Mines...	1⅜-1⅜	
⅛	Sherwood Starr (5/)	⅛-⅛	
5⅛	S. Rhd. Base Mtls.	5⅛-5⅜	+ ⅛
1⅛	Tanganyika	1⅛-1⅛	
2⅛	Vic. Falls Ord ...	2⅛-2⅝	
24/0	do. Pref	23/9-24/3	
1⅛	Wankie Col. (10/).	27/0-28/0	
7/9	Willoughby.........	7/0-8/0	
2⅛	Zambesia Expl ...	2⅛-2⅛	

DIAMOND.

1⅛	Angola Diamond...	21/0-22/0	
24/9	Con. D.S.W.A. ...	24/3-24/9	−0/3
18⅜	De Beers Def. ...	17¾-18	− ⅛
15	do. Pref.	15⅛-15⅛	+ ⅛
4⅜	Jagersfontein	4⅛-4⅜	− ⅛
8/9	N. Val. River	⅜-½	
8⅛	Premier Pf. (5/-)...	8⅛-8⅜	
18/9	West African	18/3-18/9	

AUSTRALIAN.

1⅛	Amal. Zinc	1⅛-1⅛	
1/3	Associated (4/) ...	1/1½-1/4½	
1⅛	Broken Hill Prop	29/0-30/0	
75/0	B. Hill Sth. (New)	3¾-3⅞	
1⅜	Electro Zinc Pref.	1⅛-1⅛	
6⅜	North Broken Hill	6⅛-6⅜	
18/6	Sulphide Ord......	18/0-19/0	
13/3	South Kalgurli ...	17/9-13/9	
52/6	Zinc Ord. (10/-) ...	52/?-53/3	+0/?
4⅛	do. Pref.	4-4⅛	

COPPER.

9/3	Arizona (5/-)	[illegible]	
⅛	Mount Elliott (£5	⅛-⅛	
24/9	Mount Lyell	24/6-25/6	
8/9	Mount Morgan ...	8/6-9/6	
20/0	Namaqua	1-1⅛	
37¼	Rio Tinto (£5) ...	37⅛-37¾	+ ⅛
4/3	S. American (2/) ...	4/3-4/6	

TIN.

M.U. July 19.			
13/9	Anglo-Con. (10/-...	13/6-14/0	−0/3
4	Aramayo Mines....	3⅞-4	
19/0	Bauchi Ord. (10/)...	19/9-20/3	+0/3
24/3	do. Pref (10/)...	24/9-25/3	+0/6
7/9	Bisichi	7/6-8/0	
19/6	Eastern Trust ...	19/0-20/0	+0/6
2⅛	Gopeng	2⅛-2⅛	+ ⅛
50/5	Ipoh	49/6-50/6	
18/9	Kaduna Synd (5/).	18/6-19/0	+0/3
3⅛	Kamunting........	3⅛-3⅛	
2⅛	Kramat Pulai ...	2⅛-2⅛	
29/0	Malayan T.D ...	28/6-29/6	
16/3	Mongu	16/3-16/9	
1⅛	Naraguta	1⅛-1⅜	− 1/16
15/0	Pahang (5/-)	15/0-15/6	+0/3
1⅛	Rambutan	1⅛-1⅛	
7/3	Rayfield (10/-).....	7/3-7/6	
20/6	do., 10 p.c. P. Pf.	20/6-21/6	+0/6
3⅛	Renong	3⅛-3⅛	
15/10	Ropp (4/ Shs)......	15/9-16/3	
28/9	Siamese	28/6-29/6	
5/10½	South Bukeru (5/)	6/0-6/6	+0/3
3⅛	Tavoy	3⅛-3⅛	
21/9	Tingha Tin	21/3-22/3	
13/3	Tin Props. (2/-)...	12/9-13/3	
3¼	Tronoh	3¼-3⅜	+ ⅛

WEST AFRICAN.

14/3	Ashanti Gold (4/ ...	14/0-14/6	−0/3
11/3	Fanti Cons. (8/) ...	11/0-11/6	
19/0	Gold Coast Amal.	18/9-19/3	+0/3

MISCELLANEOUS.

4/0	Barrier Trust ...	3/8-4/0	−0/3
5/6	Brit. Platinum...	5/0-6/0	
15/9	Burma Corp.	15/7½-/10½	
10/0	Champion Reef....	10/1½-/7½	+/4½
1⅛	Chosen Synd "A"	1⅛-1⅛	
20/0	Colombian Props.	¾-⅞	
2⅛	Huronian Belt ...	2⅞-3	
6/9	Keeley Silver ...	6/10½-7/1½	+/1½
7/0	Kirkland Lake...	6/3-7/3	
1⅛	Mexico Mines......	1⅛-1⅛	
4	Minerals Separ't'n	3¾-4	
15/3	Min. Crp. of Can...	15/3-15/9	+0/6
14/7½	Mysore (10/-)	14/3-15/3	
7/1½	Nat. Min. (8/-)	7/0-7/3	
6/0	Nundydroog	5/6-6/9	
21/6	Nus River Gold...	21/9-22/9	
13/3	Ooregum	13/0-14/0	
3/9	Oroville	3/9-4/3	
7/0	Panama Corp.......	6/9-7/9	
8/6	St. John Del Rey.	8/3-9/3	
30/0	San Francisco (10/)	29/9-30/3	
18/9	Santa Gertrudis...	18/6-19/0	
7/1½	Vipond...............	7/0-7/3	
18/1½	Waihi Gold.........	18/0-19/0	

* Ex. Dividend. † Ex. Rights.

THE MONEY MARKET.

LOANS DEARER.

SLUMP IN FRENCH FRANCS.

Money was more usable yesterday in connection with the repayment of a moderately large amount to the Bank of England, and during the early hours borrowers paid 4 per cent and sometimes over for loans until to-day. Subsequently, however, the tendency became easier, with night balances offering on cheaper terms. Weekly fixtures were continued at 4 per cent. There was very little change in discounts, business remaining on a small scale. Fine two, three, and four months' commercial bills were offered at 4⅛ per cent., and there were also sellers of the "hot" Treasuries at that figure.

Bank Rate Discount (changed Dec. 2, 1925), 5%

60 days (fine)		4⅛%	Trade......	5	5½%
3 months	4¼	4⅛%	"	5¼	5½%
4 months		4⅛%	"	5½	6%
6 months	4⅛	4⅛%		4½	4%
Loans to brokers day-to-day....................................					4%
" " for a week..					4%
Deposit allowance: Banks at call..............................					3%
" " Discount houses at call					3%
" " at notice..............					3¼%

The Bank of England yesterday purchased £137,000 of bar gold. Bar silver weakened owing to China selling and an absence of demand, the spot price declining ⅛d. to 29⅝d. per ounce, and forward 3/16d. to the same figure. The market closed dull. The market price of gold remained at 84s. 10½d. per fine oz. Rather over £400,000 of bar gold was available in the market, and of this the Continent secured about one-half; India took a small amount, while the Bank of England purchased £137,000.

At one time the sterling value of the French franc was just a penny, for the quotation touched 240, which, of course, is a new "record." The latest figure of 238¾ showed a movement against France of 13¼ francs. As may be gathered from the fluctuations, the currency was offered very freely, and mainly for the purpose of purchasing sterling or dollars. The Belgian quotation went to 222, finishing a little under 220, but 9½ francs worse for the day. Another foreign exchange record was reached when the Italian rate rose to 153½, from which there was an improvement to 151⅞. This left the exchange 6½ lire worse on balance. Pesetas were also cheaper again, and there were noticeable declines in the sterling values of Greek drachmæ and Rumanian lei. Some improvement took place in the currencies of Austria, Sweden and Turkey. The American exchange remained at 4.86½. Some South American currencies were a little cheaper, but Peruvian pounds were better, the premium commanded by English declining to 27½ p.c. Among the Eastern exchanges, rupees further reacted to 1s. 5⅞d., and Hong Kong dollars were easier at 2s. 2½d., but the yen was better again at 1s. 11⅜d.

—	July 20 Closing Rates.		July 19 Closing Rates.		Par Rate
Amsterdam	12.09¾	12.09⅞	12.09½	12.10	12.10
B. Ayres...	45⅝	45⅞	45⅝	45⅞	47⅝d.
Barcelona...	30.93	30.96	30.90		25.22½
Berlin	20.43	20.44	20.43	20.44	20.43
Brussels ...	219	220	209½	210½	25.22½
Calcutta ...	1/5 59-64	1/5 61-64	1/5⅛	1/5⅜	2/0
Copenhagen	18.34	18.36	18.35	18.37	18.159
Geneva	25.11½	25.12½	25.11	25.12	25.22½
Greece	414	419	402	406	25.22½
Helsingfors	193½	193⅜	193	193¼	193.23
Italy	151½	152	145¾	145¾	25.22½
Kobe (p.yn.)	1/11⅜	1/11⅜	1/11⅜	1/11⅝	24.58d.
Madrid					25.22½
Montreal ...	4.85⅞	4.85⅞	4.85¾	4.85⅞	4.86 2/3
Montevideo	49⅜d.	49⅞d.	49⅞d.	50d.	51d.
New York..	4.86⅛	4.86⅛	4.86⅛	4.86⅛	4.86 2/3
Oslo	22.15	22.17	22.15	22.17	18.159
Paris	238¼	239	225	226	25.22½
Prague	164⅛	164⅜	164⅛	164⅜	24.02
Rio de Jan..	7⅜	7⅛	7⅛	7⅜	27d
Shanghai ...	2/10⅞	2/11⅛	2/10⅞	2/11⅛	—
Singapore...	2/3⅞	2/4	2/3⅞	2/4	2/4
Stockholm	18.15½	18.16½	18.15½	18.16½	18.15
Vienna	34.38	34.43	34.40	34.45	34.58½
Warsaw	48	buyers	48	buyers	25.22½

DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The following dealings among active stocks and shares were "marked" in London yesterday:—

Consols—55⅞, ⅞, 1/16, ⅞, 15/16, 13/16, ⅞. **5 p.c. War Loan**—101, 1/16, 100⅞, 1⅛. **Funding Loan**—86⅛, ⅜, 1/16, ⅜, ⅞, ⅜. **Conversion Loan 3½ p.c.**—75⅞, 6⅛, 5⅞, 6⅛, 6. **Australia 5 p.c. Stock**—99⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Aerated Bread**—27/9. **African and Eastern**—27/-, 7½d. **Allied Newspapers Ord.**—39/3, 4½d., 9/-, 9d., 6d., 1½d., 10½d. **Anglo-Dutch Rubber**—58/3, 6d., *7/6. **Assoc. Cement**—17/3, 6d., 7½d. **Bovril Def.**—42/10½, 3d. **Brazilian Traction**—104, *4, 3¼, 4½, 3½. **Brit.-Amer. Tobacco** (x. all)—92/-, 3d., 1/3, *1/3, 2/6, 9d., 1/6, 2/1½, 1/9, 4½d., *2/3, 1/-. **Brit. Oil and Cake**—26/4½, 6d., 1½d. **Bryant and May**—47/7½, 9d., 7/-, 8/-. **Buenos Ayres Great Southern**—94⅞, 5, 2⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Calico Printers**—28/4½, 1½d. **Canadian Pacific**—168½, ⅛, 9½, 8½, 8, ½, *9½, 7½. **Central Argentine Cons.**—74½, ⅛, ⅛, 4. **Coats**—61/3, 60/6, 9d. **Cook (St. Paul's) Part. Pref.**—22/6, 1/9, 7½d. **Courtaulds**—5⅞, ⅞, 15/16, ½, *⅞, £5 10/9, 5 31-64, 35-64, 37-64, 33-64, 39-64, ⅛, 15/16, *⅞, *15/16, £5 11/-; **do. Pref.**—19/6½, 3d., 4½d. **Crosse and Blackwell**—2/10½. **Crosses and Winkworth Pref.**—5/-. **Cunard Ord.**—17/-, 4½d., *17/-; **do. Debs.**—98½, *½. **Daily Mail Ord. (2/-)**—51/-, 50/3½, 50/-. **Daily Mirror Ord.**—5⅞, ⅞, £5 19/6. **Dunlop Ord.**—27/1½, 6/10½, 11½d., 9d., 7/3, 4½d., 6/9½, 7/0½, 7/1; **do. "C" Pref.**—23/9½, 7½d., 9d., 10½d. **do. 6 p.c. Debs.**—103½, 4, 2½, *3, *2. **English Sewing Cotton**—51/-. **Fine Cotton Spinners**—42/6, 1/6. **General Electric Ord.**—30/-, 29/11½. **German 3 p.c.**—10/3, 9/9; **do. 7 p.c. External Loan**—104½, ½, ¼. **East Asiatic**—4/6, 9d., 8d., 9d. **Grand Central Rubber**—51/-, 3d. **Grand Trunk Pac. 4 p.c. Debs.**—39½. **Great Western Rail**—83⅞, ⅞, 4, 3½, ⅛, 4½, ½. **Great Western 5 p.c. Pref.**—95, *5, ½, ⅝. **Greek 7 p.c. Refugee**—92⅛, 3, 1/16, ½, 2⅜, ⅞, 3. **Guinness Ord.**—710. **Harland and Wolff Pref.**—13/1½, 12/11½. **Harrods Ord.**—45/3, 4½d. 9d. **Highlands Rubber**—60/3½, 59/7½, 60/7½. **Hudson's Bay Ord.** (x.d.)—5⅛, ⅛, 1/16, ⅛, 1/16. **Hungarian 7½ p.c., 1924**—103. **Imperial Tobacco**—110½, 3d., 9/7½, 10/6, 9/9, 6d., 10/1½, 9/3, 9/-, 8/-, 3d., 6d., 4½d., 9/10½, 7/9, 8/7½, 10/4½, 7/10½, 8/10½, 7/6, 9/7½; **do. Canada**—25/7½. **Jute Industries**—2/9, 3/6. **Lever 7 p.c. Pref.**—19/4½, 3d., 6d., *19/-, *3d., 4½d., 6½d., 7½d.; **do. 8 p.c. Pref.**—18/-, 4½d., 1½d., 3d., 6d. **Lipton Ord.**—13/10½, 4½d., 9d., 6d. **Lister Ord.**—22/-. **London Asiatic Rubber**—7/-, 6/10. **London, Midland and Scottish Ord.**—70, 69½, 70½, *70, 69½, ½, ⅛, *⅛, *½, ⅜, ⅜, ½. **London and N.E. Pref. Ord.**—50½, 49⅞, 50½, ½, *50, 49⅞, ½; **do. Def. Ord.**—16½, *16. **Lovell and Christmas Ord.**—30/9. **Lyons (J.) and Co. Ord.**—77/6, *6/3. **Malayalam Rubber**—47/3, 6d., *6/-, 7/6. **Marconi Ord.**—20/1½, 19/4½, 3d., *18/6, *20/6, 19/4½, *21/3, 19/- 10½d., *21/6, *20/9, 1/9; **do. Debs.**—102½; **do. Canada**—4/3, 1½d., 0½d., 4/-. **Maypole Def.**—5/4½, *9d. **Metropolitan Rail.**—63½, ⅜, *½. **Metropolitan District**—52½. **Nobel Indus.**—26/9; **do. Pref.**—21/3; **do. Deferred**—12/-, 3d. **Parent Ord.**—20/3. **Peruvian Corp. Pref.**—47½, ½, 6½, ⅛, ⅞, 15/16, 7. **Phillips (Godfrey) Ord.**—5⅛, ⅛, 15/16, 1/16, ⅛, ½, *⅛, £5 4/6, 5 3/32, £5 5/3, 5⅛. **P. and O. 5 p.c. Debs.**—98½. **Prov. Cinema Theatres**—14/-. **Rubber Trust**—45/1½, 3d., 9d., 5/-, 4½d. **Selfridge Ord.**—29/9, 30/-; **do. Pref.**—24/-, 3/7½. **Southern Rail. Pref. Ord.**—77⅜, ½, ½, 6⅞; **do. Def. Ord.**—43⅜, ½, 1/16, ½, *⅛, ⅜. **Sudan Plantations**—87/6, 9/4½, 8/1½, 90/-, 86/10½, 8/9, 1½d., 5½d., 4/4½. **Sunday Pictorial Ord.**—71/3, 68/9, 9/4½. **Swedish Match "B"**—15⅛, ⅛, £15 1/-, 15 3/32, 3/32. **Underground Income Bonds**—102½, ½. **Union Cold Storage 6 p.c. Pref.**—19/1½. **United Dairies**—34/-, 3/9, 4/3, 0½d., 3/10½. **United of Havana Rail.**—76⅝, 7. **United Premier Oil and Cake Ord.**—8/-. **United Serdang Rubber**—7/7½, 9d., 6½d. **Vickers**—7/5½, 7/-. **United Tobacco**—96/9, 5/3. **Watney Combe Def.**—282, 4, 3½, 4½, 5, 3d., 2½d. **Westminster Bank** 1½, 4½, 80, 3, 1, 3½, 5½, 6. **Westminster Bank** (x.d.)—18 3/16, 3/16, 15/16. **Workman Clark Debs.**—13½.

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DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

BRITISH NORTH BORNEO COMPANY.—An improvement in revenue is shown by the accounts for 1925 of the British North Borneo (Chartered) Company, but again no dividend is recommended on the issued capital of £1,852,385.

BANK OF VICTORIA (LONDON).—Dividends at the rate of 10 p.c. per annum on the Pref. and Ord.

BELSERI CHARDWAR TEA.—A dividend of 3 per cent. on Ord. Shares, carrying forward £2,229.

BEAUFORT BORNEO RUBBER.—A final dividend of 7½ per cent. actual, making 17½ per cent. for year ended April 30, 1926.

COPESTAKE CRAMPTON.—Interim dividend at rate of 2 p.c. per annum (less tax) (same as last year).

CONTINENTAL UNION GAS.—Final dividend of 3½ p.c. on Pref. Stock, making 7 p.c. for year, and a dividend of 1 p.c. on Ord. Stock (both less tax) for year ended June 30, 1926.

COMMERCIAL BANK OF AUSTRALIA.—Dividend on Pref. at 4 p.c. and a dividend on Ord at 15 p.c. per annum.

COUNTY OF LONDON ELECTRIC SUPPLY COMPANY.—Interim dividend of 5 p.c. (less tax) on Ord.

CRAIGMILLAR CREAMERY COMPANY.—Dividend of 12 p.c. actual (less tax), making 15 p.c. for the year.

CELLULOSE HOLDINGS.—The report of the directors of the Cellulose Holdings and Investment Company, Limited, for the year ended June 30, 1926, states that the net profit, after meeting expenses, interest on Debenture Stock, making provision for taxation, and Debenture Stockholders' participation in profits, is £30,949, to which is added the balance brought forward from June 30, 1925, of £8,227, making a total of £39,176. Dividend of 7d. per share, free of tax, which will require £30,931, leaving £8,245 to be carried forward to the current year, subject to directors' additional remuneration. The report outlines the controversy during the year with the British Celanese Company, and adds that the election of the following directors will be submitted to the meeting for confirmation:—Mr. John G. Raphael (Deputy Chairman), Mr. Arthur Kemp, J.P., and Captain the Right Hon. F. E. Guest, M.P. In pursuance of the agreement with the British Celanese, Limited, this company has nominated its three representatives to the British Celanese Board. The gentlemen nominated were Mr. John G. Raphael, Mr. Lincoln Chandler, and Captain the Right Hon. F. E. Guest, M.P. Nominations were accepted, and these gentlemen now act as the company's representatives.

IMPERIAL TOBACCO COMPANY (Great Britain and Ireland).—7½ p.c. actual (1/6 a share) free of tax (interim). The same.

IMPROVED INDUSTRIAL DWELLINGS.—Further dividend of 2½ per cent. on Ordinary Stock and Deferred Shares, free of tax, making 5 per cent., free of tax.

INTERNATIONAL MERCANTILE MARINE OF NEW JERSEY.—Report for year ended December 31 states that net result of operating company and its subsidiaries—Red Star Companies, American Red Star Line, White Star Line, Atlantic Transport Line, Panama Pacific Line, and Leyland Line—for the year, after deducting depreciation, shows a loss of $1,540,000.

KUALA REMAN RUBBER.—A dividend of 10 per cent., making 15 per cent. for year in respect of year ended March 31, 1926, less tax.

LEWIS AND PEAT.—Further interim dividend of 10 per cent. on Ord.

MUTUAL TONTINE WESTMINSTER CHAMBERS.—Interim dividend of 5½ p.c. for half-year.

NATIONAL ELECTRIC THEATRES.—Final dividend of 1/- per share on Ord., making 20 per cent. for the year, and a dividend of 4/- per share on Deferred Shares.

ORIENT TRUST.—Interim dividend of 1/- per share, less tax.

PREMIER OIL AND CAKE CO.—After providing for trading losses of subsidiary companies, £21,278 is carried to the balance sheet; after paying dividend on Preference Shares, £3,452 is carried forward.

REGENTS CANAL AND DOCK.—Dividend upon capital Stock for past half-year at rate of £1 per cent. per annum, less tax.

SOUTH METROPOLITAN ELECTRIC LIGHT AND POWER COMPANY—The following dividends on account of the year ending 31st December, 1926:—3½ p.c. on the 7 p.c. Cum. Pref. First Shares, 3 p.c. on the 6 p.c. Cum. Second Pref. Shares, and 5 p.c. on the Ord. (all less tax).

SOUTH LONDON ELECTRIC SUPPLY CORPORATION.—Following interim dividends on account of the year ending 31st December, 1926:—5 p.c. (less tax) on Ord. and 3 p.c. (less tax) on the 6 p.c. Pref. Shares.

U.S. DEBENTURE CORPORATION.—Dividend on Ordinary Stock at rate of 12 per cent. per annum, less tax, for half-year.

WALKER AND HOMFRAYS.—Six p.c. (less tax) on Ord., making 26 p.c.; £50,000 to reserve; £9,085 forward.

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COMPANY MEETING.

THE EAGLE OI

TRANSPORT CO., LTD.

FREIGHT MARKET FOR TANK STEAMERS.

The 15th ordinary general meeting of th shareholders in the Eagle Oil Transpor Company, Ltd., was held yesterday a Winchester House, Old Broad street, Londor E.C., the Hon. Clive Pearson (Chairman o the Company) presiding.

The Secretary (Mr. C. H. M. C. Wilson having read the notice convening the meetin and also the report of the auditors.

The Chairman said—I presume we may tak the report and accounts as read.

I am pleased to be able to report that you vessels have given satisfactory servic throughout the year under review. Thei condition has been well maintained, and w have again been able to add to our repai reserve in consequence of the amount spen in repairs having been less than the amoun set aside for this purpose. This reserv which has been built up to meet the co of Lloyd's special surveys and the increase repairs which must necessarily arise as you vessels grow older, cannot be expected t show a continuous increase, as in the pas and, in fact, as the heavier survey expens come to be incurred in due course, we mu anticipate a gradual depletion thereof.

The freight market for tank steame showed no improvement over the previo year and reached a very low level at the en of 1925. As a consequence our origina chartering agreement remains suspended, bu since the Ordinary shareholders have aga waived their right to a dividend, our revenu enables us to pay the maximum dividend o 8 per cent. on our Preference shares, an the third year in succession, to write th substantial sum of £750,000 off the cost o our vessels.

Turning to the balance sheet, a furth £142,300 of the company's notes have bee purchased and cancelled, and I would menti that it is our present intention to exercise ou option of repaying on the 30th June ne the whole of the notes outstanding at th stipulated price of £101 per cent.

The depreciation and sinking fund reserv stands at £4,144,934. The repair, etc reserve now appears at £648,849. Credito show a reduction of some £167,000, whil cash shows an increase of some £513,00 Since the date of the balance sheet, as yo will see by the report, we have sold th ss. San Gregorio, one of our older vessel the price received is regarded by you directors as satisfactory.

You may be interested to hear that a from the 1st January last we have entere into arrangements whereby our Associate Company—Anglo-Mexican Petroleum Co pany, Ltd., who are the marketers outsi Mexico of the whole of the products of ou charterers have undertaken with due saf guards to your interests the manageme of your fleet. The relations between th company and ourselves have always been ve close, and the arrangement has been entere into in the interests of efficiency and economy I may say that the Petroleum Company h taken over the entire shore staff of the co pany, including your former manager and h technical staff, to whom our thanks are d for the efficient running of our fleet. O thanks are also due to our staff afloat for th good services they continue to give to th company.

I now beg to move "that the report of th directors, together with the accounts of th company for the year ended 31st Decembe 1925, be received and adopted."

Sir Robert Waley Cohen, K.B.E., seconde the motion, which was agreed to unanimous without discussion.

The Chairman then moved "that the pa ment of the dividend in respect of the yea ended 31st December, 1925, on 400,000 cum lative participating preference shares of th company at the rate of 6 p.c. per annu together with a final dividend of 2 p.c making 8 p.c. for the year, be and is hereb confirmed."

Mr. A. S. Debenham seconded the resol tion, which was agreed to unanimously.

On the motion of the Chairman, seconde by Mr. R. P. Brousson, O.B.E., the retirin directors—Mr. Andrew Agnew, Sir Robe Waley Cohen and Mr. Francis L. Gibbs were re-elected.

The auditors—Messrs. Whinney, Smith an Whinney—were re-appointed, and the pr ceedings terminated.

IMPERIALS INTERIM.

REPEATED AT 7½ PER CENT.

Imperial Tobacco Ordinaries proved a erratic market yesterday. The Board an nounce payment on September 1 of the usua half-yearly interim dividend of 7½ per cent free of tax, but make no reference to an prospective bonus distribution. The po sibility of "melon cutting" has been freel discussed in the market following the doubl bonus by the British-American Tobacc Co. early in June, and disappointment wa expressed at the absence of any reference t such a course in the official announcemen Opening at 110s., Imperials fell back sharpl to 107s., fluctuated during the remainder o the day, and closed with some recovery a 109s. 6d. This price compares with 118 towards the end of June, when bonus hope were running high. Th following is a recor of distributions, all free of income tax, fo the past few years:—

Year to Oct. 31.	Interim.	Final.	Bonus.
1926	7½ p.c.	—	—
1925	7½ p.c.	9 p.c.	7½ p.c.
1924	7½ p.c.	7½ p.c.	7½ p.c.
1923	7 p.c.	8 p.c.	5 p.c.
1922	7½ p.c.	7½ p.c.	7½ p.c.

In 1923 there was also scrip bonus 33 1-3 per cent.

The directors also announced yesterday th usual interim dividends for the half-yea ended April 30, 1926, at the rates of 5½ pe cent. per annum upon "A" Preferenc Shares, paid July 1; 6 per cent. per annu upon "B" Preference Shares, payab August 1; and 10 per cent. per annum upo "C" Preference Shares, payable August 1.

INSURANCE SHARES.

BUSINESS DONE IN LONDON.—Associated R Insurers, 10/4½; Commercial Union, 23⅛, Employers' Liability, 77/-, 6/8½, 3d.; Gener Accident, 7⅛; Guardian, 8½, ⅞; London Assur ance, £11 0/6; Northern, £13 9/9, 13⅞; Prude tial "A," 22⅜; Royal Insurance, 32⅜; Sun Insu ance, 23½; Sun Life, 45½; United British, 25/6.

BUSINESS DONE IN LIVERPOOL.—Employer Liability, 77/3, 7/-; Guardian, 8⅜; London an Lancashire, 20; London Assurance, 11⅛; Nort British, 22½; Northern, 13⅛; Royal Exchang 6⅛; Royal Insurance, £32 1/9, 2/6.

MINING REPORT.

Bwana M'Kubwa Copper Mining Co.—The follo ing cable has been received from the Anglo-Ameri can Corporation of South Africa, Ltd., dat Johannesburg, 19th July:—"Bwana M'Kubw plant position two evaporators operating. Appro mately 4 tons dry copper oxide produced. Evapor tor capacity increasing gradually, as alterations a completed. Anticipate first copper production w be made during month of September. M'Kana d velopments, June:—Drive south 26 cross-cut, 90f 7.3 p.c. copper. North, No. 9 shaft, 49ft., 7 p.c. copper. South, No. 9 shaft, 23ft., 7.4 p copper. North, No. 12 shaft, 80ft., 4.9 p.c. coppe Average 4 assays of drives east and south No. shaft, 9.1 p.c. copper. Drive west No. 8 shaf 45ft.; first 20ft. under 1 p.c. copper, next 20 5.6 p.c., next 10ft. 1 p.c. No ore cut yet in th other shafts between 1 and 2 extensions." Note. The results above indicate that plant alteratio and adjustments are approaching completion. T actual production of copper oxide, which is t last stage of the process, confirms our opinion the metallurgical success of the process

OIL OUTPUT.

British Controlled.—Production for week endin 14th July, 48,319 barrels; shipments, 33,90 barrels.

OFFALY SHOW.

A THOUSAND ENTRIES.

THE EDUCATIONAL EXHIBIT.

FROM OUR AGRICULTURAL CORRESPONDENT.

TULLAMORE, Tuesday.

Favoured by the weather, the Offaly County Farming and Industrial Society held their annual Show here to-day. The entries totalled over a thousand, or 200 more than a year ago. This is a sure sign of the interest which is being taken in the development of the Show. All parts of the county were represented amongst the exhibits, and the only section which did not share in the general advance was that for horses. An interesting feature was the educational exhibit arranged by the County Committee of Agriculture. This included a display of sugar beet products, which brought forth many inquiries. There was also a large display of agricultural implements and machinery. The attendance was good, especially during the afternoon. The arrangements all over were most satisfactory. Messrs. William Gorry and A. M. Fahy acted most efficiently as secretaries.

Judges:—Horses—Messrs. W. P. Hanley, R. Keating, W. McWilliam, J. Lalor. Cattle—Senator Joseph O'Connor, and J. C. Campbell. Dairy Cattle—Mr. James Bellew. Sheep—Senator O'Connor and T. Dolan. Pigs—Mr. J. Willington. Poultry and Butter—Miss T. Irwin and Miss Slattery. Home Industries—Miss Brady.

CLASSES FOR HORSES.

Horse breeders in this part of the country have not yet recovered from the effects of the war. Nevertheless to-day's show brought together a nice collection of animals, though some of the classes were rather deficient in merit.

Although a small class, thoroughbred brood mares were a praiseworthy lot, first prize going to Mr. L. Bracken, Tinnycross, for Lady Orchid, a good-bodied matron by Righ Mor, by Desmond. Dr. J. M. Prior Kennedy was second with Mirodette by Mirador, and third with Country Dame by Kilteagh.

For hunter brood mares, not thoroughbred, Mr. Joseph Coyne, Kilbeggan, was first with the black ten year old Princess II. Mr. F. B. Mulock, Ballycumber, was second with the useful chestnut, Barbara, while Mr. O. Graham Toler was third with Fanny.

In a moderate class for hunter three-year-olds, Mr. W. N. B. Dooley, Daingean, was first with the bay half-bred colt, Flycatcher. Mr. P. J. Delaney, Kilbeggan, was second with a half-bred filly by No Peace, and Mr. James Lambe, Kilcormac, third with the bay colt Gay Boy.

In the class for hunter two-year-olds, not thoroughbred, Mr. J. Dooley, Kinnitty, won first, the Webb Cup, and the special filly prize with a bay filly by Vlico. Mr. M. Coyne, Tyrrellspass, was second with a bay by Walmlane, and Mr. T. E. Potterton third with a bay filly.

In the class for yearlings, not thoroughbred, Mr. F. B. H. Mulock was first with the chestnut filly by Drinmore—Barbara, while Mr. Graham Toler's bay colt by Flyfisher was second. Mr. J. Rabbit, Clare, was third with the brown gelding Warrior by No Peace.

A capital lot of thoroughbred yearlings were headed by a strong heavy chestnut colt from Dr. G. A. Moorhead, Tullamore. Dr. J. M. P. Kennedy was second with a fine racing stamp of colt by Courageous.

At the head of the four-year-olds likely to make hunters stood Mr. J. M. Condon, Clara, with Pallas, a good-moving bay by Desperate. Mr. J. E. Maxwell, Birr, was second with a chestnut gelding that showed himself to advantage, while Rev. J. L. Magee, P.P., was third with Nancy, by No Peace.

There was only one weight-carrying hunter, five years old and upwards. This was Easter Gift, by Easter Gift, the property of Mr. P. J. Birmingham, Ballycommon, and received first prize.

For cobs, 4 years old and upwards, Mr. M. Lenihan, Daingean, was first with a useful bay; Mrs. G. Whitfield, Birr, second with the bay mare, Miss Eyre, and Mr. A. Cotton, Tullamore, third with a bay colt.

For ponies under 14.2 hands, in saddle or harness, Mrs. Gill, Rhode, was first; Mr. Thomas Maxwell, Ballinagore, second with Blue Lake, and Mrs. R. A. Robinson, Geashill, third with the chestnut Nellie.

In a large class for ponies under 13.2 hands, Miss Norah Rynd, Killeigh, was first with the brown Nora Creina. Mr. J. Mahon, Daingean, was second with a grey, and Mr. C. V. Doorley, Tullamore, third with a brown.

For ponies, any age, under 12.2 hands, Mr. G Devoy led with a fine four-year-old chestnut mare, Mr. George Payne's piebald being second, and Mr. A. Lambe's dark brown third.

For agricultural brood mares with foal at foot, Mr. W. Gorry, Daingean, was first with a good-substanced bay by Duns Lad. Mr. M. Carroll, Ballycumber, was second with a bay by Polly, and Mr. R. Telford, Durrow, third with a bay Clydesdale, Topsy. Mr. Thomas Lawless won the special for best foal.

In the class for four-year-old agricultural horses, Mr. O. G. Toler was first with Black Prince; Mr. P O'Brien second with a bay by Drumcross Elegance, and St. Stanislaus College third with Rahan Charley.

For three-year-old draft horses, St. Stanislaus College was first, and Mrs. Walsh second, while in that for two-year-olds, Mr. William Gorry was first and Mr. L. Bracken second.

For yearling agricultural horses, Mr. W. Gorry was first, Mr. John Egan second, and Mrs. E. Nolan third.

CATTLE.

The exhibition of cattle included a useful lot of dairy stock and Herefords, although there was also a good display of shorthorns.

For older Shorthorn Bulls, Mr. P. J. Egan, T.D., led with Cloonastilla's Robin, while Mr. W. Gorry was second with Straffan Roan Courtier.

For Shorthorn Bulls under two years old, Mr. M. Guinan, Rahan, was first with Clones Orphan Duke, a great-substanced red by Graddum Butterfly and out of Clones Orphan, a 930-gallon cow.. Mr. John Dunne, Ballinamere, was second with the level good-coated red Rosemount Captivator, while Mr. John Egan, Croghan, was third with a roan by Red Baron Broadhooks.

In the class for Registered Rairy Bulls, Mr. G. H. Cooke, Portarlington, was first with the red, Marksman, out of Imperial III.; while Mr. J. Scully, Ballycommon was second with the red. General Smith.

For Non-Pedigree Shorthorn Bulls, any ages, Messrs. H. and J. Richardson were first, Mr. W. C. Graham second, and Mr. J. Cooney third.

In a large class for Hereford Bulls, Mr. F. B. H. Mulock led with the big-framed Ballinakill. Reps. of H. L. King, Ferbane, were first with Rastock, by Glynwood Horatio; while Mr. H. E. Joly, Rathangan, was third with Corballis Prince.

For Aberdeen-Angus Bulls, Mr. O. G. Toler led with Freeman of Willowbrook, Mr. J. L. Hodgins was second with Pompey of Sopwell, and Mr. Toler third with Freeman of Durrow.

The Earl of Rosse was first in the class for Registered Dairy Cows with his roan, Killeen Lily, a five-year-old of fine type and quality. Mr. P. J. Egan, T.D., was second with Lady Wellington, a 1,143-gallon cow, which was followed by Dr. Kennedy's roan, Elmbough, a roan with a record of 988 gallons.

For Cows in Milk, the Earl of Rosse was first with Killeen Daisy, Mr. P. J. Egan second, and Mr. J. Kearney third.

In the Farmers' Class, for Cows in Calf or Milk, Mr. W. Cummins was first, and Mr. N. Molloy second and third.

For Springers, of any age, Mr. Francis Molloy, Ballydrohed, was first with a blue polly, Mr. J. Strong, Cappencur, second with a roan, and Mr. S. Mounsey third with a shorthorn cross.

In the Labourers' Class, for Cows, Mrs. Connell was first, Mr. T. Brogan second, and Mr. C. Madden third.

For Non-Pedigree Dairy Cows, belonging to Members of the North Offaly Cow-Testing Association, Mr. Robert Waldie, Ballycommon, was first with the roan, Tubberdaly, a useful cow, with a record of 1,247 gallons. Mr. T. J. Lalor, Kilbeggan, was second.

For Two-year-old Heifers, Mr. P. A. Gill was first, Mr. J. Kealy, Moate, second, and Mr. J. Doyle, Kilclangan, third.

For Three-year-old Bullocks, Mr. J. Hanlon was first, Mr. P. Gill second, and Mr. A. Colton third.

For Three-year-old Heifers, any breed, Mr. G. R. Gill led with a shorthorn, Mr. J. L. Chissell was second, and Mr. G. R. Gill third with an Angus.

For Two-year-old Heifers, Mr. G. R. Gill was first, Mr. O. G. Toler second, and Mr. W. Jackson third.

In the Two-year-old Bullock Class, Mr. A. Joughin was first with an Angus, Mrs. K. Colton was second with a roan, and Lady E. Bury third with an Angus.

For Yearling Heifers, Mr. M. J. Telford was first, Mr. W. Gorry second, and the Earl of Rosse third.

First for Yearling Bullocks went to Mr. P. A. Gill, Mr. Alfred Joughin being second, and Mr. S. Mounsey third.

In the Tenant Farmers' Class, for Yearlings, Mr. W. Jackson was first, and Mr. T. Donegan second.

First for Heifers, out of Registered Dairy Cows, went to Mr. W. Cummins, second to Mr. W. Gorry, and third to Mr. P. J. Egan.

In the Baby Beef Class, Mr. G. R. Gill was first, and Dr. Kennedy second and third.

A useful lot of Calves, out of Registered Dairy Cows, were headed by Mr. T. J. Lalor's Ballard Favourite. The Earl of Rosse was second with Killeen Bobbed One, and Mr. W. Gorry's shorthorn was third.

In the remaining Calf Classes, the winners included the Earl of Rosse, Messrs. W. Cummins, P. J. Egan, J. Kealy, M. Hoctor, W. Kilmurry, S. Mounsey and James Smith.

For Half-bred Hereford Bullocks, Mr. P. A. Gill was first, and Mr. S. Mounsey second; while for Half-bred Hereford Heifers, Mr. W. Jackson was first, and Mr. P. Minnock second and third.

SHEEP.

There was an unusually good entry of sheep, and an outstanding feature was the fine display of Roscommons. Other breeds were also well represented, Tullamore being the centre of a noted sheep-breeding district.

For pens of two wethers, any breed, Joseph Kearney was first and James J. Chiswell, Killeigh, second. In a well-filled class for long-woolled rams, Mr. W. C. Graham, Ballycommon, won first prize and the Keane special for shearling rams with one bred at Baltacken. For another well-bred Roscommon Mr. Graham was third. Second went to Mr. John Kealy, Moate, for the three-year-old, Quible, by Erin. Short-woolled rams were headed by Mr. D. O'Brien, Tullamore, with a compact, blocky Shropshire. Mr. J. L. Hodgins, Kilbeggan, was second with a two-shear Oxford Down, and Mr. M. Ryan, Geashill, was third, also with an Oxford.

For pens of two ewes that have reared lambs in 1925, Mr. W. C. Graham was first with a nicely matched pair of Roscommons. Mr. P. O'Brien, Ballykilmurry, was second, also with Roscommons, and Mr. A. Hodgins, Kilbeggan, third with Oxfords. For hogget ewes Mr. J. Chiswell was first, Mr. J. L. Hodgins second, and Mr. Graham third.

For ewe lambs Mr. Graham was first, and the Earl of Rosse second, with a pair of Suffolks. For ram lambs Thomas Reading, Kilbeggan, led with Oxfords, the Earl of Rosse being second with Suffolks.

In the open class for long-woolled lambs, any breed, Mr. John Keane, Moyvore, walked away with first and second prizes with shearling Roscommons of remarkable type and quality. They were level, shapely rams of fine breed character, sired by Erin. A large class for short-woolled rams, any breed, was headed by Mr. J. L. Hodgins with a two-shear Shrop., Mr. S. Mounsey, Tullamore, being second with a Shrop.

The special prizes offered by the Roscommon Sheep Breeders' Association were all accounted for by that successful flockmaster, Mr. John Keane, with a shearling ram, ram lamb, and two shearling ewes—a really typical lot all over.

Milch goats, though making a small show, displayed exceptional merit, most of the entries receiving a card. Mr. P. Molin, Screggan, was first, and Mr. John O'Brien, Ballydaly, second.

PIGS.

There was a big advance in the quality of pigs on exhibition, and competition was keen. In the class for Irish large white boars Mr. T. J. Lalor, Kilbeggan, was first with the well-brought-out two-year-old, Darrara Star 7th, bred at the Agricultural Station, Clonakilty. Mr. Thomas Dunne, Daingean, was second, and Mr. W. Kilmurry third. For sows in pig or suckling Mr. T. J. Lalor was first with Ballard Daisy and second with Fenagh Viola, while Mr. A. Lambe, Blueball, was third with Lalla Rook 5th. For sows with litters Mr. A. Joughan was first, Mr. K. Molloy second, and Mr. Joseph Forrestal third.

POULTRY.

With an entry of 193, poultry were fully 20 per cent. better numerically than last year. More gratifying still is the fact that the birds were decidedly good. All classes were well supported, and competition proved keen. First prizes went to Miss Fawcett, Miss Horan, Mr. P. J. Hannon, Mrs. Lynch, Dr. Kennedy, Mrs. Gill, Mrs. Sheehy, Mr. Robinson, Mrs. Colgan, Miss Scally, Mrs. Mounsey, Miss Jackson, Miss Brennan, Mrs. P. O'Brien, Miss Dunne, Mrs. Molloy, Miss A. Keegan, Miss R. O'Brien, Miss Hannon, Miss M. Whelan, Miss B. Brock, Mrs. Mealiff.

DRIVING AND JUMPING.

Driving Competition for style, speed and appearance.—1st, Miss N. A. Rynd, Killeagh, with Stella; 2nd, Joseph Gleeson, Blueball, with Dolly; 3rd, Mrs. Mounsey, Beechill, with Ema.

Driving Competition for Ponies.—1st, Mrs. Gill, Rhode, with Clarke Pen; 2nd, F. Gethings, Colehill, with Bessie.

Jumping.—Event A (open) over the Course—1st, Major-General Cronin's Carlow Lass; 2nd, Mrs. G. Whitfield's Miss Eyre; 3rd, Mr. J. Richardson's Lahila.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

FREE STATE COINAGE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—May I offer a few remarks on the designs for the new Irish coinage which, I understand, is shortly to be issued? The earliest coins minted in Ireland, whether Irish or Danish, are of such rude workmanship that they may be dismissed as being without any definite design whatever. The coins of King John, issued before he came to the English Throne, first show something definite and clear, differing from English and all other coinages. The peculiarity is the triangle which is on both the obverse and the reverse, and I put forward the surmise that this triangle refers to the doctrine of the Most Holy Trinity as preached by St. Patrick, and is the precursor of the shamrock, the triangle at that time being the simplest way of expressing the idea of the Trinity.

This pattern remained for some time, together with various issues very similar to the types used in England, until the "three crowns" Irish money was issued. These coins had upon the reverse three crowns in pale upon a cross bottony, which represented—so it is thought—the arms of Ireland at the period when the coins were issued. It was King Henry VIII. who first placed a harp upon the coins, and it is a matter of conjecture why he made the change; but it is supposed that he dropped the three crowns on the cross as he was apprehensive that crowns and cross symbolised the triple crown of the Pope, from whom King Henry II. received the lordship of Ireland. But why the harp was adopted, which has always been considered the national musical instrument of Wales, is not known. It was not until the reign of James I. that the harp first appeared upon the Royal Arms.

The most interesting of Irish coins are, I think, the so-called St. Patrick's halfpenny and farthing, and I would most strongly recommend the design on these coins for adoption, with necessary modifications, for the copper series. These coins, I have heard, were minted abroad and were issued by the rebel Parliament at Kilkenny about the year 1645; but I notice that the British Museum puts them at a much later date, though I do not see how this can be, because there is no record of their issue in Dublin. I have not troubled you with a detailed description of any of these coins because specimens of all of them are in the Museum in Dublin.

I would suggest to the committee for recommending designs that the shamrock and the three crowns upon a cross should find a place upon the silver pieces, and that the designs of St. Patrick's halfpenny and farthing be adopted in some modified form for the copper or nickel. In conclusion, I would suggest to the Government that the mints at Rome or Copenhagen would be the best to go to for the designing and engraving, and that, if possible, it should arrange for the actual striking to take place in Dublin.—Yours, etc.,

J. G. DOWNING.

Uxbridge House, Portsmouth road,
Kingston, July 19th, 1926.

WEATHER FORECASTS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—My attention was recently drawn to an article which appeared in your issue of June 18th, 1926, on the subject of long-range weather forecasting. In it the writer, who appears to come from Armagh Observatory, criticises the forecasts made by Lord Dunboyne and published every Friday in the *Daily Mail*. He states that 80 per cent. of those forecasts are failures.

It seemed to me that the critic was comparing results at Armagh and other places with forecasts made for Kew, or perhaps Valentia. I, therefore, took the trouble to plot all forecasts which had been made for the period in question, together with the actual results of rainfall, as officially recorded—all for Valentia. These curves I sent to your correspondent, thinking that he took a scientific interest in the question. From his reply, which I enclose, it would seem that he is animated mainly by a desire to show that no one knows more of this subject than he does. I now forward these curves to you, hoping that you will examine them carefully, and form an impartial judgment as to whether there is any similarity between forecast and fact, and as to whether the degree of probability which they indicate can be of any service to the general public.

I would point out that—(1) These are not intended for use as day-to-day forecasts, but only to indicate the likelihood of rain-periods as it appears to be at the time, and they are not expected to be correct to within less than twenty-four hours.

(2) No claim is made for infallibility, and an occasional failure must be expected.

(3) They are modified (generally only slightly) week by week according to the development of conditions, and it is hoped that they become more reliable as the time approaches.

(4) Scientific meteorologists, as represented at the Air Ministry, mantain that all forms of long-range forecasting are impossible.

(5) If these forecast curves bear any resemblance to actual results, the scientific meteorologists are proved to be wrong.

(6) If such forecasts are in the smallest degree reliable, they will be of the greatest value to every section of the community, and should, therefore, receive every support and encouragement from a public-spirited newspaper of your standing.

I think that, if you compare the curves which I enclose, you will agree that—(1) Except for one week, for which the forecasts were admittedly and consistently bad, there is a remarkable resemblance between forecast and result, which is more than fortuitous.

(2) Weekly modifications are slight and generally tend towards improvement. There is no justification in the accusation of an attempt at "hedging."

I may mention that, although scientific meteorologists scorn these forecasts, yet many agriculturists and others, whose business depends on the weather, have, over a period of several years, found them to be of distinct value.—Yours, etc.,

R. P. BUTLER.

Swinley House, Ascot, Berks,
July 18th, 1926.

[We subjoin the letter from our Astronomical Correspondent to which the Hon. R. P. Butler refers]—

DEAR SIR,—Various engagements have prevented me from replying earlier to your letter of June 28th. The delay, however, has been useful, as it has enabled me to see the forecast issued on July 9th, and to compare it with that of the previous weeks. Lord Dunboyne states that successive forecasts are subject to "slight modifications." I contend that this of itself vitiates the claim of the forecasts to be for fifty days. But the comparison of the two last forecasts puts a different complexion on the matter. Here we have, not a case of slight modification, but of total reversal. The forecast issued on June 25th shows the month July 10-August 10 as almost totally wet. Except for two days, August 1, 2, the curve is wholly above the datum line, and black caps abound.

The forecast issued on July 9th shows the same period almost totally fine. The curve is mostly below the datum line, and black caps are wholly absent. It is an abuse of words to describe this as a slight modification. This is the result of a comparison of the curves for England S.E. and London, for the one period, in the two forecasts. If this sort of thing is repeated, the public will begin to accuse Lord Dunboyne of pulling its leg. It remains to be seen which of the two forecasts is fulfilled. In any case, the forecasts have hedged so effectually that they can claim a success in either case. But this is not forecasting the weather. I can make a better shot at it myself; for the period July 15-August 15 is wet in nineteen years out of twenty in the British Isles. It is, indeed, one of the two wettest months in our year. It is, therefore, quite safe to forecast abundant rain within this period.

I, therefore, venture to predict that Lord Dunboyne's forecast of June 25th will be verified, and that of July 9th falsified, by the event.

I enclose the charts for April, May and June, on which I have marked successes and failures. You will see that the ratio is about one of success to four of failure. I should advise Lord Dunboyne to resort to pure guesswork; for in that case, by the law of chances, he would secure, in the long run, 50 per cent. of each. Aided by a knowledge such as he undoubtedly possesses of climate, he ought to be able to score far more than 50 per cent. of successes. His handicap is probably that, being a sailor, he has too much experience of other climates and too little of British, and gives the former too much weight.

If I felt inclined to try long-distance forecasting, I believe I could do better than he; for I have fifty years of weather study behind me, all British, and I know the British climate as few do. I was weather-watching when most of the Air Ministry people were in their cradles.—Believe me, very sincerely yours,

W. F. A. ELLISON.

Armagh Observatory, July 13th, 1926.

BATHING AT BALLYCOREE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES

SIR,—Under the heading "Girl Bathers Defy the Sergeant" is a paragraph in your issue of Saturday last. Keeping up the romantic charm of the heading, I will state that I am one of those girls, and beg you will give me space for the truth about the "defiance." On Tuesday morning, while still in my bathing suit after my swim in Ballycoree Lake, a patient from the Mental Hospital, unshaven and ill-clad, came round and spoke to me, asking me if I knew the patients drank from the lake, but stressing the fact that I was a lovely girl and a powerful fine woman. Naturally, because he was a patient and worthy of my pity and sympathy, I was not annoyed (though anxious to get into my clothes), but treated the matter as one of no importance. Consider a moment. Would any large institution of good repute and management send a message in such a fashion? If there be a committee, surely there is a secretary, with pen and ink or a typewriter, and a polite request should always be presented courteously.

Next day, returning from my swim, two men in uniform, without salute or formality of any kind, opened conversation with, "You've had a nice cool bathe." True, they were bonny boys, good to look at—very good—and civil, and they, after much rambling, mentioned something about a committee. Though I, as a stranger, did not recognise the uniform of the Civic Guard, I asked for their warrant or authority for telling me what I should or should not do. This was not produced, and naturally I thought it was a kind of joke. I am not married and I have not learned to take orders from stray males that cross my path. Therefore, I continue to swim as my fancy dictates, because the owner of half the land surrounding the lake is my very good friend and permits me to pic-nic, camp-out, swim or paddle.

The question of pollution tickles me mightily. I have travelled nearly round the world, have swum in many lands, and up to this present moment in Clare have never been looked upon as "pollution." Considering that the lake is up to thirty acres, and it is "polluted" daily by many head of cattle, horses, ducks, dogs and a decrepit donkey (which, rumour says, belongs to the Mental Hospital), I do not feel guilty of "polluting" the water. As a test of this "pollution," I will offer my cheek to be kissed or my hand to be held by any member of the committee if he will use these same means with the cattle to judge the polluting powers of them and me. My exquisite sanity and glorious health show me the desirability in this hot weather of doing a few hundred yards' swim daily, and if by any chance some of these germs of sanity and health could percolate through the four filter beds of the Mental Hospital, would it not do them a vast amount of good?

Merely a guest within the borders of Clare, it is my privilege as a journalist to spread my report, and so far I have always upheld the kindliness and courtesy of its people; their charm has always been patent to me. As I have up to the present received no official communication from anyone regarding this bathing prohibition, I am unable to form any opinion if the perpetrator of these casual interviews is a Clare man. The bullocks are here daily, and so am I; and, if the committee will take up my challenge regarding the cattle and me (like tea-tasters with delicate palates) and the landlord will allow a concourse of people to see this feat, saying which local charity shall have the gate money, I will abide by their decision of "pollution."—Yours, etc.,

MILLICENT TRIMBLE.

Ballycoree, Ennis, July 18th, 1926.

THE LIFEBOAT COLLECTIONS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES

SIR,—On behalf of the Special Effort Committee of the Royal National Lifeboat Fund, I desire to thank all the collectors who so very generously gave their services towards the work of selling flags on the recent flag days, and also in the "House-to-House collection" previously. Their efforts are very greatly appreciated, and I am pleased to be able to announce that, judging from the results of their collections, so far as at present ascertained, the total amount received will be very satisfactory.

The Committee's best thanks are also given to the banks, business firms, hotels, etc., who contributed to the fund, and who, in many cases, allowed collections to be made among their employés. Our best thanks are specially given to Messrs. Arthur Guinness, Son and Company, Limited, for again bringing their reserve lifeboat from Howth for exhibition in College Green on both flag days and taking it back; and also Messrs. J. and P. Good for kindly erecting steps and platform to enable the spectators to view the interior of the boat. It may be of interest to your readers to know that the special prizes offered by two members of the Committee for the highest individual collections on the flag days were won by Miss Violet Allen (6 Clareville road, Rathgar), with a total collection of £11 10s. 1d., and Miss Ethel Ellis (Rhodaville, Churchtown, Dundrum), who collected £9 10s. 9d.

The Committee hope to be able to announce the final result of the special appeal in a few days, and in the meantime ask all those who kindly assisted in the work to accept their sincere and grateful thanks.—Yours, etc.,

ARTHUR WHEWELL,
Chairman Special Effort Committee.
Royal National Lifeboat Institution,
City of Dublin Branch, 110 Grafton street, Dublin, July 20th, 1926.

WORKS BY RUBENS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Your correspondent may be interested to know that in the catalogue of the Irish Institution for 1854 there is mention of two Rubens pictures, which were exhibited in that year at the Royal Hibernian Academy. The first, No. 57, was entitled "Landscape—Boys at Play," property of William Jenkins, Esq. (a Committee man of the Irish Institution); and the second, No. 59, was "Portrait of the Duke of Alba," owned by the Earl of Portarlington. At the Cork Exhibition in 1883 Rubens was represented by three sketches, lent by Lord Barrymore, Fota Island, Co. Cork.—Yours, etc.,

"COREAGIAN."

Dublin, July 20th, 1926.

BANBRIDGE SHOW.

SPLENDID DAIRY CATTLE.

FROM OUR SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE.

BANBRIDGE, Tuesday.

At the annual show of the Banbridge Farming Society, held here to-day, there was keen competition among the finest collection of dairy cattle seen at any local agricultural show in any part of Ireland this year.

As it approaches its golden jubilee, the Banbridge Show grows better every year. This advance is to be ascribed solely to the exertions of a business-like committee, who have made the fixture a real live thing for one of the most up-to-date agricultural areas in the country. There was a very large attendance in the grounds to-day, a gathering that was easily a "record" for Banbridge, and there was something to keep every visitor interested.

Splendid weather favoured the executive, who have made great improvements in the grounds since last year. The exhibits, numbering well over one thousand, were an increase of almost fifty on the 1925 figure. The improvement in numbers was altogether in the live stock sections. The entries for horses, cattle and sheep were up, and the total of 29 in the swine class was almost double that of last year. Figures like 181 for horses and 174 for cattle are something of which any local show committee might boast. Those competent to judge say that the show justifies the amount of energy put into its working by its continued evidence of improvement in the animals sent in for competition in the different sections. The cattle exhibited here to-day, both pure and cross-breds, were far and away above the standard of the ordinary local show, and, what is still a better sign, the competition was well spread out, and was not confined to a few enthusiasts in the breeding and feeding of high-class stock.

The arrangements are well planned and carried out methodically by men who know what they are about, and are anxious not alone to make the show a success, but to please both exhibitors and visitors. It is a real pleasure for the regular show goer to find himself in Banbridge. The smartness shown in getting through a lengthy jumping programme was one example of the good business ways of this executive.

THE HORSE SECTION.

County Down Staghounds Hunt Cup, for best-made Hunter in the Show—Won by Malcolm McMahon, Ballycross, Banbridge, with Gentle Lady; reserved, Malcolm McMahon, with Sunbeam.

Baillie Cup for best Colt, Gelding or Filly, one, two or three years old, suitable for general purposes, and bred by exhibitor—Won by Maxwell Irvine, Tullyglash, with Noel; reserved, Lewis Aston, Dundalk, with Lady Ross.

The judges in the Thoroughbred and Hunter Classes were Mr. Frank Barbour and Mr. H. J. Kirwan, of County Meath. Mr. Hugh Boal, Ballymena, was judge in the General Purposes Ring; Colonel Howard, Dungannon, of the Harness Classes; and Mr. John M. Mark, M.P., Londonderry, of the Agricultural Horses.

Mr. F. J. Hamilton's Faithful Boy, who is proving himself to be a useful sire in the district, was first among the thoroughbred stallions. His fine breeding tells in his appearance, for he is by William Rufus out of a Loved One dam. Robert Lawther's Jort, a Fidelio horse, was second.

Taking them all round, the thirty made hunters shown in the ring were not up to hunter mark. Most of them were plain and of indifferent quality. An outstanding exception was Mr. McMahon's winner of the Championship, a four-year-old mare bred near Enniscorthy. Very well developed for her age, and with a good temper, she is a huntress, whose like is not often seen in the show ring. Reserved to her for the Championship was Mr. McMahon's Thurles bred five-year-old chestnut gelding. Here is a beautiful hunter type, although he is rather on the small side, even for a 13st. horse. He is a good horse to ride. This point gave him the advantage over the second in the light-weight class, Darkie, belonging to Mrs. Jack Hughes, Dundalk. William McCaldin, Banbridge, had the first two in the heavy-weight class, and the second in the four-year-olds.

The young horses were disappointing both in number and in hunter quality. Easily the best of the three-year-olds was a Ben Alder gelding exhibited by Mrs. Beamish, Friarstown House, Downpatrick. Mr. Aston, with a two-year-old gelding, and Mr. Maxwell Irvine, Tullylush, with a yearling filly, were also good firsts in limited competition. The brood mares were plain, with, perhaps, the exception of the first prize winner owned by Mr. O'Reilly, Dromara. J. J. Cowdy, Banbridge, had the best of a small lot of foals in a filly by Kirk Alloway, a dam by Lochryan.

There was a nice collection of agricultural horses, most of them of a Clydesdale cross, but with lots of the Irish draught blood showing. Samuel Brown, Loughbrickland, and C. F. Hamilton, Ballynabraggett, were good firsts with brood mares in the non-pedigree and pedigree classes respectively. The classes for horses for general purposes filled fairly well, but those who deprecate the hackney strain would not be pleased with many of the exhibits. In those classes Mr. Aston had several firsts, including a very nice foal by Faithful Boy out of a Tredennis mare, which was also first in her own class. The brood mare placed second and belonging to William Baillie, Hackballscross, Dundalk, was a nice-looking matron with good points. Her Faithful Boy foal was also second. John McWatters and Alex. Devon and H. McCusker, well-known Belfast exhibitors, had firsts in the classes for ponies.

HIGH-CLASS CATTLE.

The Liddell Cup, for the best pure-bred Shorthorn in the Show—Won by T. H. and T. T. Maclean, Glen Anne, County Armagh, with the two years old bull, Bridgebank Bayardo. The reserved animal was the yearling bull, Farm Hill Viceroy, shown by William Stewart, Crieve, Loughgilly.

The Cowdy Cup, for the best Dairy Cow in the Show—Won by William McCandless, Dromore.

The Cromie Cup, for the best Calf—Won by H. W. Stewart, Glenane.

The George Todd Cup, for the best Yearling Heifer—Won by John Graham, Rathfriland.

The Crawford Cup, for the best Group of Three Animals—Won by George Crothers, Ballyvarley, Gilford

The Wallace Cup, for the best Yearling or Two Years Old Heifer—Won by George Crothers.

The Thomas Carson Cup, for the best Aberdeen-Angus Beast in the Show—Won by R. H. Gibney, Ballynanny, Banbridge, with the Bull, Charles of Eyrefield, which was also awarded the Silver Medal of the Irish Aberdeen-Angus Association.

The collection of cattle, of every type, was remarkable for the outstanding quality of not individual animals alone, but of whole classes.

The judging was done by Mr. Joseph Bowden, Cootehill, shorthorns; Mr. R. A. Wright, Donaghadee, A.A. and Friesians; Mr. William Mitchell, County Kilkenny, dairy and mixed breeds.

Banbridge lies in the centre of a shorthorn county, and it was only to be expected that there would be a good show of that breed. The sixteen bulls on view were all true to type and a credit to shorthorn breeders. Mr. Stewart, along with the reserve for the Shorthorn Championship, got four firsts and two seconds; and the Messrs. Maclean had a second victory in the class for milking cows. James Mulligan, Corbet, beat both of those breeders with his heifer calf.

A surprise of the Show was the absence of the Aberdeen-Angus breed, both in numbers and in show merit. The champion bull repeated for Mr. Gibney the victory of two years ago. The animal has in the meantime grown to be one of the finest types of the black breed as is to be met with in Ireland to-day. T. J Cromie, Ballynahinch, had a nice first prize winning cow, with Mr. Gibney's a good second. A particularly good type of the well-bred black was the year and a half heifer reserved for the medal, owned by F. A. Boyd, Gilford.

The Friesians are getting stronger at this Show, where the exhibitors are led by Edward Cowdy, Loughgall, and Alex. Baird, Glen Anne. All admirers of good stock were struck by the appearance of the Jersey cow, Vera of Clounagh, first prize winner for S. G. McReynolds, Portadown. In size, shape, and udder she is a model of true breeding.

The half-breds were a strong class, even if we leave out of account the remarkable lot of 22 dairy cows. There can be no doubt that this group, taking them all round, was the best that any local Irish show can parade this season. Out of the judges' selection of the best half-dozen, five were of the shorthorn type, and the sixth almost a full Ayrshire. Mr. McCandless, along with securing the championship, had the winner of the second prize. Of the other cross-bred cattle, a very choice lot was the group of three for which Mr. Cromie got the Robson Cup. The same exhibitor had the next best group.

SHEEP AND SWINE.

The Border Leicester breed was prominent in the sheep section, with R. W. Bell, Hillsborough, at the head of the winning list, with four firsts. For ram lambs he was beaten by W. J. Rourke, Downpatrick, and for breeding ewes by R. J. Gill, Downpatrick. S. M. Gill was the winner in all classes for short-wooled, and W. F. Uprichard in those for black-faceds.

There was a grand show of swine, from among which the championship medal of the Large White Ulster Pig Society went to the boar owned by James Mark, Moneyslane. George Hobart, Dromore, with a sow, won the medal for best black pig. David Hooke had the best Ulster sow, and R. T. King the best white York sow.

There was a large show of utility poultry, in which many of the well-known Northern fanciers were exhibitors.

Great interest was taken in the butter-making competition, carried out in the grounds. It was won by Miss O'Hare, Finnis, Dromara, with Miss McEvoy, Tullyraine, Laurencetown, second. In the classes for home-made butter, Mrs. Maxwell Irvine, Tullyglush, got three first prizes, and Miss Jean Boyd, Katesbridge, one. The lady visitors to the show had a good deal to see in the section catering for home industries, from bread-making to decorative craft work.

HORSE JUMPING.

The six horse jumping events brought the largest number of competitors yet seen at this show. In most of these the competition was keen and the jumping of a high standard.

Event 1.—Iveagh Harriers' Cup—1st, S. Bailie's Shady Girl (H. McAuley); 2nd, John Bamber's Sly Ager (J. Reid); 3rd, Mrs. Jack Hughes's Darkie (J. Clancy); 4th, H. L. Chambers' Hidden Mystery (R. Lennon).

Event 2.—First and second in Event 1 excluded (30 competitors)—1st, Mrs. H. D. Beamish's Cinderella (Owner); 2nd, H. L. Chambers' Hidden Mystery (R. Lennon); 3rd, John Bamber's Freda (J. Bamber).

Event 3.—Champion Stone Wall—1st, John Bamber's Sly Ager (J. Bamber); 2nd, R. Collen's Reuben (Geo. Roberts); 3rd, John Bamber's May Queen (J. Bamber).

Event 4.—Children's Competition—1st, Miss Vera Hale's Marcus; 2nd, Miss Hilda Hale's Tom Tit; 3rd, Miss L. Hale's Richill John; 4th, Master A. Cromie's Violet.

Event 5.—Ladies' Competition—1st, P. McCartan's Stability (Miss L. McCarton); 2nd, Miss Cissy Marks' Mrs. Rowland (Owner); 3rd, Mr. James Marks' Kosciusko (Miss Marks).

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LANE PICTURES.

DEMAND FOR THEIR RETURN.

STATEMENT IN DAIL.

"The return of the pictures depends upon the recognition, in a generous spirit, of the honourable obligation to respect, notwithstanding legal technicalities, the last wishes of the illustrious dead." In these words, Mr. P. McGilligan, Minister for Industry and Commerce, when questioned in Dail Eireann yesterday, summed up the position in regard to the Lane bequest.

The Minister stated that the proposal to lend a number of the pictures to Dublin from time to time did not meet the equities of the case, which demanded that the collection should be given to Dublin, in accordance with the wishes of Sir Hugh Lane.

The matter was raised by Mr. Padraic O Maille, who (for Professor Magennis) asked the President what steps, if any, the Executive Council had taken to assert the rights of the citizens of Dublin to have restored to them the thirty-nine French paintings left to them by Sir Hugh Lane in the holograph codicil which, it was now admitted, expressed the testator's intentions in their regard; and what steps it was proposed to take to counter the intention of the British Government in carrying out the recommendation of the Committee which reported on the matter.

MINISTER'S STATEMENT.

Replying for the President, Mr. McGilligan, Minister of Industry and Commerce, said—The matter of the Lane pictures was raised with the British Government by General Collins on the 22nd January, 1922, a little more than a week after the formation of the Provisional Government. From that date onward representations were repeatedly made to British Ministers that these pictures should be disposed of in accordance with Sir Hugh Lane's last wishes.

Ultimately, as a result of these representations, the Right Hon. J. H. Thomas, then Secretary of State for the Colonies, informed the President in July, 1924, that the British Cabinet had decided to appoint a Committee of three to consider the arguments advanced by the Irish Free State and the Trustees of the National Gallery in London, and to report whether in their opinion—

1. Sir Hugh Lane, when he signed the codicil of the 3rd February, 1915, thought that he was making a legal disposition.
2. If so, whether it is proper that, in view of the international character of the matter at issue, the legal defect in the codicil should be remedied by legislation.

The report of that Committee was published on 30th June last, and the findings were as follow:—

1. That Sir Hugh Lane, in signing the codicil of the 3rd February, 1915, thought he was making a legal disposition.
2. That, nevertheless, it would not be proper to modify Sir Hugh Lane's will by public Act of Parliament. To do so would in addition to constituting a legal precedent of the utmost gravity not justified by the facts, have the effect of bringing about a result contrary to the real spirit of Sir Hugh Lane's intentions. Our reply to the second question is, therefore, in the negative.

It is only right to say that the Executive Council, through the courtesy of the British Government, were afforded an opportunity of perusing the report of the Committee before it was published.

The Council felt that the Committee's reply to the first query addressed to them was satisfactory, and, in fact, inevitable; but they were quite unable to follow the Committee's method of arriving at the conclusion set out in their reply to the second question.

PRESIDENT'S PROTEST.

Accordingly, the President communicated to the Secretary of State for Dominion Affairs the reasoned view of the Council that the Committee had, in dealing with this aspect of the matter, failed to realise its international importance, and had allowed their judgment to be based upon considerations which were not only outside their terms of reference, but were in themselves unsound and inapplicable. He urged, too, that it was only by doing violence to Sir Hugh Lane's last wishes as to the destination of the pictures that legislation to validate the codicil could be refused.

I regret that, notwithstanding these representations, which, I may say, were urged in the strongest possible manner, the British Government did not see their way to depart from the recommendations made by the Committee.

In reply to a question recently addressed to him the British Prime Minister stated that an assurance had been received from the Trustees of the National Gallery in London that it was their present intention to lend to Dublin a substantial number of the pictures from time to time, and for a substantial period, as soon as they were empowered under existing legislation to do so. For our part the Executive Council could not accept the view that this proposal meets in any adequate manner the equities of the case, which demand that the collection should be disposed of in accordance with the donor's last-expressed desire.

I do not quite understand the second part of the deputy's question. It must be borne in mind that, so far as the strict letter of the law is concerned, the codicil is invalid, and consequently the return of the pictures depends upon the recognition in a generous spirit of the honourable obligation to respect, notwithstanding legal technicalities, the last wishes of the illustrious dead.

IMPERIAL CONFERENCE.

Mr. Osmonde Esmonde asked whether it was the intention of the Government to bring the matter before the Imperial Conference.

Mr. McGilligan was understood to say that the matter was not on the agenda of the Conference.

Major Bryan Cooper pointed out that there was a precedent for the setting aside of a will. The will of the late Mr. Cecil Rhodes was set aside and modified by law in a manner not in accordance with the desire of the testator. He asked the Government to bring this before the notice of the British Minister.

THE DEVELOPMENT OF GREYSTONES.

IMPROVEMENTS ON SEA FRONT.

At a committee meeting of the Greystones and District Development Society, held at the Grand Hotel, Greystones, Mr. J. C. Meldon presiding, it was decided again to invite the attention of the Wicklow County Council to the defective and dusty condition of the roads in and around Greystones; to the deficiency of public sanitary accommodation; and to the dangerous condition of the railings along the foreshore. It was unanimously resolved, in the absence of satisfactory action by the Council, to lay the matter before the Department of Local Government.

Directions were given to provide seats upon the pier; to supply baskets for waste paper along the south beach and the main roads; to effect repairs to the railing and footpath near the station; and to clean and gravel the laneway locally known as the "turnpike."

The Secretary was instructed to ask the Department of Posts and Telegraphs to expedite the first delivery of letters, which at present failed to reach certain houses on the Burnaby until 10.30 a.m., and to request that the English mail, which arrives at Greystones at 9 a.m., should be delivered before the evening.

The Sports Committee reported that a programme of events had been drafted, and the Hon. Treasurer having stated that there had been a large increase in the number of members since the last meeting, the proceedings were adjourned for a week.

NOTICE TO JURORS.

Jurors summoned for the Central Criminal Court at Green street to-day need not be in attendance until 11.30 a.m.

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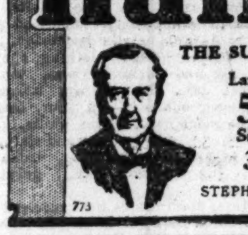

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DUBLIN TRAMWAYS LEASE.

RATHMINES COUNCIL GRANT EXTENSION.

A special meeting of the Rathmines Urban District Council was held yesterday, for the purpose of considering the resolution of the Conference of Representatives of Urban District Councils regarding the postponement of the right of purchase of the Dublin Tramways system. By the casting vote of the Chairman (Sir Simon Maddock), the following resolution, proposed by Major Arthur Whewell, was passed:—

"That the Council agree to the postponement of the date on which they could exercise their right of purchase referred to in the Dublin United Tramways Act for a period of 30 years, from 30th June, 1939, being the date on which right arises. Also, that the Tramway Company enter into an agreement embodying these terms, which agreement should be free of all cost to the Council, and in pursuance of Section 15 of the Dublin United Tramways Company Act, 1905, provided, however, that the property and interests of the Council are not in any way directly or indirectly affected by legislation promoted by the company in connection with the proposed Lucan extension, or in any other manner whatsoever. A covenant to this effect to be embodied in such agreement, and that Messrs. W. J. Shannon and Co. be instructed to carry out the agreement on behalf of the Council."

Mr. George Metcalfe seconded.

LABOUR DEPUTY'S PROTEST.

Mr. W. Norton, T.D., said that they had three paid Commissioners, who were prepared to sell the rights of the citizens to the Tramway Company, and the Rathmines Council was asked to do the same. He would not be a party to that. The Muncipal Councils of Glasgow, London, Belfast, Manchester and Liverpool controlled their own tramway systems, and reaped the profits for the citizens. He held that the citizens of Dublin and its suburbs should take control of their tramway system at the first opportunity.

Madame Markievicz supported Mr. Norton's opposition.

Mrs. Kettle said that they had heard about the plight of Lucan until it had become almost a joke, but what about the plight of Rathmines? The Tramway Co. should not get this right for nothing.

The Chairman said that the Tramway Co. were paying the cost of all agreements. Also they had very good terms with the Tramway Co., who paid heavy rates and were keeping the kerbstones from the canal upwards.

Miss Ffrench-Mullen said that they should not tie the hands of those who succeeded them.

Mr. Healy said that these objections should have been raised six months ago.

The Chairman said that, speaking as a Rathmines man, he thought they were doing very well.

On a show of hands, five were for the resolution and five against. The Chairman gave his casting vote for the resolution, which, as stated, was declared carried.

ROAD GRANT.

A letter was read from the Ministry of Local Government sanctioning a grant of £6,786 for road improvement, provided that the Council prepared a suitable scheme and complied with the conditions previously laid down.

The Chairman said that the wages were to be £2 10s. a week, and there was a stipulation that preference should be given to ex-members of the Free State Army who were unemployed.

Mr. W. Norton, T.D., proposed "that the condition *re* the employment of ex-Free State Army men should be withdrawn."

The Chairman proposed that the grant be accepted on the conditions laid down.

Mr. Healy seconded.

On a show of hands, the resolution was defeated by 7 to 5.

Mr. W. Ireland said that that meant that the Council by a majority had rejected the offer. What would the ratepayers of Rathmines think of that?

After further discussion, a resolution was proposed by Mrs. Kettle, seconded by Dr. Kathleen Lynn, and adopted, accepting the Government grant of £6,786 for road improvement, but asking the Government to withdraw the condition *re* employment of ex-Free State Army men.

Mr. Ireland did not vote.

It was decided to submit to the Ministry a scheme for widening Upper Rathmines road at a probable cost of £6,800.

DUBLIN DISTRICT COURT

MIDNIGHT SCENE.

HOUSE ATTACKED: SEVEN MEN CHARGED.

(BEFORE MR. COLLINS, K.C.)

Arising out of a scene in Seville place, Dublin, about midnight on last Saturday, Joachim Maher, 24 Lower Oriel street; William Byrne, 11 Wall's square, off Lower Oriel street; Patrick McDonald, 25 Lower Jane place; and Denis Ward, 25 Lower Jane place, were charged with being members of a riotous crowd and attacking the house, 36 Seville place.

James Caulfield, 9 Upper Oriel street, and Thomas Mahon, 2 Lower Oriel street, were both charged with illegally posing as detectives, gaining admission to 36 Seville place, and illegally arresting a man named Roche, a lodger there.

Peter Macken, 24 Lower Jane place, was charged with assaulting Michael Roche and maliciously damaging the door of No. 36 Seville place.

Mrs. Barrett, Michael Roche, and a man named Sharp gave evidence that the house was attacked by a mob, for no reason that they could assign. There were shouts of: "Send out the English," and "You have only a week to live." Caulfield and Mahon came to the house saying that they were from Store street Police Station, and offered to escort Roche and Sharp to hospital. On the way the crowd attacked Roche and Sharp. Both men were beaten, and Roche was later brought to hospital. Caulfield and Mahon remained in the house until about 9 o'clock the following morning.

Peter Macken said that he went to 36 Seville place to look for his brother, Larry, and that Roche and Sharp assaulted him.

DENIED HE POSED AS DETECTIVE.

Larry Macken said that he was in the house delivering some stout and wine for his "boss," Mr. Sullivan, publican, when Sharp opened the door. Peter Roche rushed out and struck Peter. A scuffle followed. When he (witness) was in the house there were ten men and five women. They had a gramophone and plenty of drink.

Caulfield said that he was asked by Miss Barrett to try and pacify the crowd. He denied that he posed as a detective.

Mahon corroborated.

Miss Barrett stated that it was not true for Caulfield to say that he knew her well. When he told her that he was a detective and that Mahon and himself had been sent from Store street, she believed him.

The case for the other defendants was that they saw Macken knocked down and they went to his assistance. They denied attacking the house.

Mr. Collins said that he could not understand why this house was attacked. There must be something behind all this.

Peter Macken was fined 20s. and bound to the peace. Caulfield and Mahon were fined £3 and bound to the peace, and all the other defendants were bound to the peace.

DUBLIN CIRCUIT COURT

RENT OF A DUBLIN HOUSE.

A QUESTION OF ESTOPPEL.

(BEFORE JUDGE PIGOT.)

Patrick Moore, of 27 St. Joseph's Cottages, Church road, Dublin, sought to eject Edward O'Donnell from No. 28 St. Joseph's Cottages on the ground that the defendant had paid no rent since January last, and that the tenancy had been determined by notice to quit. The agreed rent under the contract of tenancy was 14s. a week.

The defendant had caused an originating application to be instituted to have the standard rent fixed at 3s. 7½d. a week, and claiming a refund of excess of rent, which he alleged had been paid by him, amounting in all to a sum largely in excess of the rent owed by him, since the last payment.

Mr. William Black (instructed by Mr. Albert Woodcock) who appeared for the tenant and applicant, contended that the balance due from the landlord amounted to over £100.

Mr. Herbert Hare (instructed by Mr. J. J. Goulding) who appeared for the landlord and respondent, raised a question of estoppel, contending that a decree of the last Recorder in January, 1924, for ejectment, based on the rent being 14s. a week, precluded the applicant from disputing the rent now claimed by the landlord.

Judge Pigot held that the last rent payable within three years before August 3, 1914, was 4s. 6d., and that the contract rent of 14s. showed that a large excess had been paid, but, on the application of Mr. Hare, to which counsel for the tenant consented, he adjourned the case for further argument on the question of estoppel.

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IN THE COURT OF THE RAILWAY TRIBUNAL.
RAILWAYS ACT, 1924.
STANDARD REVENUE — ALLOWANCES UNDER SECTION 53 (1) (a) (b) and (c).
Notice is hereby given that the Great Southern Railways Company has submitted to the Railway Tribunal statements of the amounts claimed in connection with the standard revenue of the Company under paragraphs (a) (b) and (c) of Sub-Section (1) of Section 53 of the Railways Act, 1924.
Copies of the statements can be obtained from the Great Southern Railways Company, Kingsbridge, Dublin, price 2/6, post free.
Any party interested and desirous of being heard upon the consideration of the statements must, on or before the 13th day of September, 1926, notify the Registrar of the Railway Tribunal, 3 Upper Castle Yard, Dublin, and lodge with him six copies of objections (if any) to the said statements.
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QUESTIONS IN DAIL.

APPLICATIONS FOR TARIFFS.

In reply to a question by Mr. Dalton, in the Dail yesterday, Mr. McGilligan, Minister for Industry and Commerce, stated that the industries which had applied for protective tariffs since January, 1924, were:—Coach-building, boot and shoe, glass bottles, soap and candles, confectionery (including jam), blankets, furniture, metallic bedsteads, shirt-making, hosiery, wholesale clothing, chemical manures, box and packing cases, tanning, fibre, packet salt, fish barrels, margarine, woollen piece goods, wheaten flour, oatmeal, agricultural machinery, down quilts, rosary beads, brushes, printed matter and stationery, wrapping paper, brass-founding, bell-founding, felts (i.e., roofing, etc.), galvanised hollow ware.

In addition, applications were received from individual firms engaged in the manufacture of briar pipes, leather trunks, calcium carbide, matches, bicycles, paints, baskets and tin-ware.

Protective tariffs have been imposed in the following industries:—Blankets and blanketing, boots and shoes, bottles or jars of glass, candles; clothing, personal and wearing apparel; furniture (other than bedsteads) made wholly or partly of wood, and bedsteads of any material; motor bodies, soap, soap substitutes and soap powders, sugar confectionery (including jam), oatmeal.

Investigations had been carried out in the bacon-curing and yeast industries without an application having been lodged by the industries concerned. A list of the names and situation of the firms engaged in protected industries would involve particulars of from 250 to 300 firms, and he did not consider that any useful purpose would be served by preparing it. The forthcoming census of production would give all relevant information as to the position of particular industries.

LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

In reply to Major Cooper,

Mr. O'Higgins stated that the delegates from the Saorstat who would attend the forthcoming Assembly of the League of Nations would be the Minister for External Affairs, the Minister for Finance, and Deputy Eoin MacNeill. The representative of the Saorstat at Genevea, Professor Binchy, and the Secretary of the Department of External Affairs would form part of the delegation. The membership of the delegation to the Imperial Conference had not yet been finally determined.

IMPORTED PORK.

Major Sproule Myles asked the Minister for Lands and Agriculture whether there was any guarantee that imported Continental pork (cured)—bacon, hams, etc.—did not suffer from foot-and-mouth disease before being cured.

Mr. Burke said that there was no guarantee of the nature in question. The Department was advised, however, that the process of curing would render the flesh of a pig killed while it was suffering from foot-and-mouth disease innocuous from the point of view of infection.

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE.

Mr. T. J. O'Connell asked the Minister for Education if he was yet in a position to say how soon the School Attendance Act, 1925, would be put into operation: (a) in the areas mentioned in the schedule to the Act, and (b) in areas other than those mentioned in the schedule.

The Minister said that he hoped to fix the 1st of October, and the 1st of November next for the purpose of bringing the Act into operation in the scheduled and non-scheduled areas respectively.

RAILWAY SIGNS IN IRISH.

Mr. P. O'Maille asked the Minister for Industry and Commerce whether any change had taken place in the policy of the Executive Council regarding the Irish language; and, if not, why the provision of Section 68 of the Railways Act was not being given effect to; and why, at several stations on the system, notably at Dunlavin and Lucan North, the language had been completely ignored in the erection of the notices and signs, etc.

Mr. McGilligan said that no change had taken place in the policy of the Executive Council regarding the Irish language. The provisions of Section 68 were being given effect to by the Great Southern Railways Company. The Gaelic League forwarded a letter to him on the 25th of May, and he replied that the allegation made in that letter was contradicted by the list of 27 stations furnished to him by the company, at which bi-lingual notices had already been provided. The question of printing passenger card tickets for journeys in the Saorstat in both Irish and English had been pressed forward as rapidly as was consistent with a reasonable conclusion. Section 68 of the Act provided that this should be done, unless it would jeopardise the standard revenue, and result in increased rates and fares. A satisfactory form of ticket had been produced, but he was informed by the company that its cost represented an increase, approximately, of £1,600 per annum, or 121 per cent. on past expenditure. He was at present having this figure investigated, to see if the cost could not be reduced.

UNEMPLOYMENT.

In reply to Mr. Morrissey, the Minister of Industry and Commerce stated that the number of persons registered as unemployed in the Saorstat on July 12th inst. was 21,923. The number registered as unemployed on the corresponding dates in the preceding four years were:—1925, 25,212; 1924, 44,971; 1923, 32,016; 1922, 41,399.

Mr. Morrissey asked if it was on those figures that the Minister had made the statement in Limerick the other day, that there was less unemployment in the Free State this year than there had been at any time during the past five years, and whether those figures put him in a position to make that statement with any degree of accuracy in view of the fact that the figures just now read out represented only a certain proportion of the total number unemployed.

Mr. McGilligan said that his Limerick statement was not made on the basis of these figures. He made the statement that there was more employment by reason of added employment in protected industries and works like the Shannon scheme.

THE WARBLE FLY.

"One Who is Interested" writes with reference to the sufferings of farm animals owing to the prevalence of the warble fly:—"I consider that it would be of great benefit and relief to dairymen, graziers, farmers, butchers and others if a remedy could be supplied to destroy the warble fly pest. The loss on animal hides alone is calculated, as far as this country is concerned, to amount to £1,000,000 per annum. Milch cows are reduced to half their milk and some go completely dry owing to the injury inflicted by the pest." He suggests that some member of the Dail should bring the matter before the Department of Agriculture, and have it fully investigated with a view to finding a remedy which would eradicate the evil.

LL.D. FOR MR. RAMSAY MACDONALD.

At the congregation of the University of Wales at Swansea yesterday, the degree of Doctor of Laws was presented to Mr. Ramsay Macdonald, on the ground of his eminence as a statesman. At the degree ceremony, Mr. Macdonald was accorded a great reception.

The Irish Times.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 21, 1926.

IRELAND.

The Free State Government has agreed to sell its interest in the National Land Bank to the Bank of Ireland for £203,000.—(Page 7.)

For the Offaly County Farming and Industrial Society's Show which was held at Tullamore yesterday there were more than one thousand entries.—(Page 5.)

Last night the Victoria Cinema Theatre, Galway, and an adjoining building were destroyed by fire. Fused electric wires in the operating box in the theatre started the fire.—(Page 7.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

Earl Winterton, in introducing the India Office estimates in the House of Commons last night, said that, with the exception of increased communal tension, the state of things in India was extremely hopeful. The House agreed to the estimates.—(Page 6.)

Mr. Baldwin yesterday told a deputation of Unionist peers and members of the House of Commons that, if the Committee of both Houses could reach a close measure of agreement on a definite scheme for the reform of the House of Lords, the Government would welcome any suggestion they had to offer.—(Page 7.)

ABROAD.

The French franc fell yesterday to 240 to the £.—(Page 7.)

SPORTING.

At the Curragh yesterday Pink Hawthorn won the Scurry Plate, King's Falloch the Pollardstown Plate, Foretell the July Selling Plate, Lord Wembley the Drogheda Memorial Stakes, New Barn the Apprentices' Plate, and Fedamore the Stand Plate.—(Page 10.)

At Leicester Witful won the Leicestershire Oaks.—(Page 10.)

FINANCIAL.

London Stock Markets were quiet and dull, with a few bright spots here and there. Leading Industrials found lower levels.—(Page 4.)

Loans were in greater demand in Lombard street up to 4 per cent., with balances cheaper. Discounts were unchanged. French francs slumped heavily.—(Page 4.)

In Dublin the market was dull. Courtaulds closed at 112s., or 1s. 6d. lower. Guinness closed easier, and Imperial Tobaccos fell to 109s. 6d. on the same dividend without a bonus.—(Page 4.)

The National Land Bank.

In *Dáil Eireann* yesterday the Minister for Finance announced that the Executive Council had decided to sell its interest in the National Land Bank to the Bank of Ireland for the sum of £203,000. This decision seems to have been taken in consequence of an *interim* report which has been issued by the Banking Commission. The Bank of Ireland offered to absorb the Land Bank and to pay the Government the full amount of its paid-up capital, all of which stood in the name of the Minister for Finance. Mr. Blythe explained that a good bargain had been made. The Bank of Ireland will continue to operate the head office of the Land Bank for a period of one year, during which time all the present directors, with the exception of Mr. J. J. McElligott, who is the personal representative of the Finance Minister, will continue to act. Transferred customers are assured of considerate treatment by the Bank of Ireland. Those officials for whom no further employment can be found will be superannuated at two-thirds of their existing salaries; and, as the Government proposes to shoulder half the burden of this commitment, £13,000 of the purchase money will remain outstanding for a period of three years. A certain amount of opposition to the scheme was shown in the *Dáil*; but the majority of the members realised that the best had been made of a bad business, and the National Land Bank now passes into financial history as another example of the folly of a State's interference in banking affairs.

The National Land Bank was founded in 1919 with a nominal capital of £406,000, one half of which was paid. Its object, as explained by Mr. Blythe, was to prevent the struggle of *Sinn Fein* against the British Government from becoming a land war, and to that end its directors were anxious to finance land purchase throughout the country. Shortly afterwards the scope of the undertaking was widened. Deposits were accepted, but little money was forthcoming; and, when branches were opened in the provinces, they received scanty patronage. In 1923 the Minister for Finance took over all the share capital, enabling the shares held by co-operative farming societies to be repaid. The Land Bank then became a semi-State concern, including Mr. Blythe among its directors. Registers for Compensation Stock and Land Bonds were opened at the head office; but the anomalous position of the Bank worked against it, and the public never gave it much support. In 1925 it transferred land mortgages to the extent of £312,000 to the Land Commission, receiving in return 4½ *per cent.* Land Bonds, and against a possible depreciation of these it was forced to place a sum of £88,000 to special reserve. Its cash position was excellent, but its capital was insufficient to allow it to compete on level terms with the Irish Joint Stock Banks; and the financial conservatism of the Irish people ruined any chance that it ever may have had of becoming a national institution.

The Government's association with the Land Bank was a bad blunder, and Mr. Blythe does not attempt to disguise that fact. In his speech at the end of the debate yesterday he said that, whatever might be the experience of other countries, a State Bank, on the National Land Bank system, could not be conducted successfully in Ireland. The presence of a Minister, or a Minister's deputy, on the Board encouraged the exercise of political pressure to secure financial accommodation from the Bank; and nobody who knows Ireland needs to be warned by the League of Nations Committee on Banking against the palpable evils of such a condition of affairs. The directors of the Land Bank admit that there can be no half-way house between a State Bank and a private concern. The experiment was foolish, and everybody ought to welcome the solution that has been found. We do not blame the Government for its original error of judgment. In the early days of its existence it did many unnecessary things and neglected to do things that were essential. Its attempt to establish a separate medical register was a case in point. Its failure to make provision for patents was another; and in this connection we are glad to note that prompt steps have been taken by the Ministry for Industry and Commerce to guard against the unpleasant consequences of Mr. Justice Meredith's recent judgment if it should be upheld by the Supreme Court. The decision to "scrap" the Land Bank cannot have been easy. It meant a sacrifice of sentiment in the interests of good business; and we congratulate Mr. Blythe on the courage which he has shown in the interests of the national credit.

London's City Churches.

Yesterday the Sheriffs of the City of London exercised the City's ancient right to offer a petition at the Bar of the House of Commons. They were moved to this course by a danger which threatens the old churches that are London's most sacred and, perhaps, most precious monuments. Recently the Assembly of the Church of England adopted a bill which is entitled "The Union of Benefices and Disposal of Churches (Metropolis) Measure." The bill empowers the Bishop of London to abolish nineteen of the City's old churches—to suppress the benefices and to sell the sites—in order that money may be raised for Church development in other parts of his vast diocese. On Monday the Bishop's motion that the bill should be presented to the King for the Royal Assent was discussed in the House of Lords and, after a vigorous debate, was carried by seventy-one against fifty-four votes. A similar motion must be passed in the House of Commons before the bill can become law, and the City Corporation's petition yesterday prayed that the House would reject this motion, which will be proposed by Lord Hugh Cecil. The advocates of the Assembly's bill founded their case entirely on considerations of utility. There are forty-six parish churches in the City of London, with a total congregation, on Sundays, of some 2,500 souls; and, according to the Bishop's estimate, their maintenance costs £60,000 a year. On the other hand, Greater London is growing swiftly; its spiritual needs are clamant, and the Bishop declares that they can be met only by the sacrifice of the nineteen churches which he has scheduled for destruction. Of course, these churches, harbours of quiet in London's central roar, have a huge site-value. Why, then, is the City Corporation opposed to the Assembly's bill, and why is it supported in that opposition by a great body of educated opinion in London and throughout the country? Here is once more the old conflict between utility and idealism—with the unusual circumstance that the aldermen, not the ecclesiastics, are on the side of the angels. London values her ancient churches for a hundred reasons. Many of them are beautiful buildings, typical of the work of a noble period in British architecture; and they are thronged with historic associations of the proudest kind. Surely such churches, though empty, fulfil a spiritual function by the solemnising appeal which their mere fabric makes daily to the city's crowded millions of workers and thinkers. Why, however, should the City churches be empty, with such potential congregations at their doors—congregations which might be attracted by the right methods and the right men? This surely is the weak point in the Assembly's armour. The same faith that could refill the City churches on week-days could find money, without any destruction of beauty or any outrage on history, for the new churches that are needed in other places. We think that most Irish Churchmen will rejoice if the City of London's petition to the House of Commons is crowned with success.

Aerial Fire-fighters.

In most countries civil aviation has developed chiefly as a means of transport, but in Canada a different line of progress has been followed. There an immense amount of work is done for the State by flying men—firstly, in surveying and mapping undeveloped territory, and, secondly, in fighting the menace of fire which ever lurks in the timber districts. In *The World's Health* the protection of the Canadian forests by aircraft is described. The aeroplane has obvious advantages over all craft moving on land or water as a means of reconnaissance. A well-organised service of aerial patrols now watches for outbreaks of fire and, where these occur, transmits the alarm and develops plans of attack. Fire-fighters, supplies, mechanical equipment and fire foremen are carried by air to the danger spot. At every patrol station there are aluminium pumps, designed to be carried on a man's back, and an equipment of hose divided into parts, every one of which is of the bulk of one man's loading. The stations are in wireless communication with the observing aeroplanes, and, when an alarm is received, crews with equipment are hurried to suitable spots at which they can be picked up by the flying craft. During 1924 fifteen seaplanes protected 100,000,000 acres of forest in the province of Ontario alone. The immensity of the problem of controlling forest fires is revealed by the fact that over 1,000 outbreaks occur in twelve months. There are many losses attendant on the destruction of timber. Along the Pacific coast, where fires have wrought enormous havoc, navigation often is interrupted and the lives of dwellers in towns within the range of the smoke blanket are made miserable for days. A few years ago the sun was hidden completely from the town of Portland, Oregon, by dense smoke clouds, and on another occasion shipping companies on the Great Lakes lost thousands of pounds through the interference of smoke with the sailings of their vessels.

Forgotten Victorians.

The twentieth century has dealt hardly with the literature of the Victorian age. Of the very word "Victorian" it has made a reproach, and many admirable writers have passed into a limbo of oblivion. In *The Quarterly Review* Mr. Horace G. Hutchinson seeks to revive the memory of some of these, and to bespeak credit for their achievements. He praises White Melville and James Payn, and affirms of Wilkie Collins and Le Fanu that they excelled the moderns in the modern *genre* of mystery story. Subtlety is the quality which Mr. Hutchinson finds most sadly lacking in the Victorians—"they go, in simple fashion, straight at their job." He considers that Lever has fallen into neglect solely through lack of the artistic gift of setting forth his material to the best advantage. Lever is prone to the Victorian fault of loading the main narrative with anecdotes by the way, that delay the action. Mr. Hutchinson suggests that the "by the way" stories in "Charles O'Malley" might be packed together in one volume and sold separately. The main book would be reduced to the length of a modern novel. "I believe that thus to edit it and so to publish it would be the most popular way of its rescue from Limbo." These liberties with the writings of dead authors are hard to defend and seldom are successful. In the very faults of old-time novels there is an air of the leisurely age in which they were composed. Lever—whose remarkable stories of the Peninsular War were written without first-hand knowledge of the ground or of military life—will live or die according as the world remembers or forgets the spacious, rollicking, formless novels as they left his pen. How many readers of to-day remember the Reverend Hamilton Maxwell, that strange genius of Dromore, who taught Lever his craft and was his inspiration?

IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT.

INDIAN AFFAIRS.

MR. JACK JONES ORDERED TO WITHDRAW.

FROM THE PARLIAMENTARY CORRESPONDENT
WESTMINSTER, Tuesday.

The House of Commons, after witnessing the reception of the deputation from the City of London on the Union of Benefices Bill, this afternoon, turned to a dreary list of questions with a sigh, for the sun was just beginning to appear after an almost complete absence since Sunday.

The proceedings were not without excitement, however, for Mr. Jack Jones provided an interlude. The Speaker has been accused of undue leniency in the case of Socialists misbehaving in the House, but this afternoon he descended upon Mr. Jack Jones with an impetus that quite surprised that remarkable politician. The Minister of Mines, who is engaged on a committee, was not present to answer questions, whereupon Mr. Jones remarked that the Minister was not present because he was incapable of answering. The Speaker at once demanded a withdrawal of the remark, or a withdrawal of Mr. Jones from the House. Mr. Jones casually informed the Speaker that he withdrew, but that he believed his remark was correct, all the same. The Speaker at once ordered him to withdraw from the House, which Mr. Jones did, muttering as he went. The House has been an acute sufferer from Mr. Jones's mannerisms during question hour this week.

Mr. Churchill presided over a miniature debate concerning the proposed betting tax, when several members illuminated the proceedings by revealing what they knew of Turf means and measures. Mr. Churchill, however, provided more novel information than anybody else. "It is but seldom that there are two race meetings on one day," he informed a startled House, which, when the information had been assimilated, rocked with uncontrollable laughter. Mr. Churchill joined in when he realised that race meetings were not quite as uncommon as he had thought. Major Cohen asked him a question suggesting that a loss would be incurred on telegrams through betting having to take place on the course, but Mr. Churchill gaily replied that what he lost on the swings he would gain on the roundabouts.

Asked by Mr. Clynes whether the further stages of the Mining (Reconstruction) Bill would afford an appropriate occasion for a debate on the subject of representations made by the clerical deputation in regard to the mining dispute, Mr. Baldwin said that it was not quite certain whether that bill would be back from committee this week. It would be possible to raise the subject either on an estimate or on the Appropriation Bill. Mr. Clynes said that he and his friends would seek an earlier opportunity of debating the matter.

INDIAN AFFAIRS.

Earl Winterton, Under-Secretary for India, submitted the India Office Estimates. He was able to congratulate his department, the House and the country generally upon the state of things, which he regarded as extremely hopeful. If there was one black spot in an otherwise satisfactory review, it was that Communal tension has been steadily increasing, and this, he said, now constituted the greatest menace confronting the Government of India. The strife between the Moslems and Hindus had led to a large number of conflicts and riots, and no religious festival had been carried through without elaborate precautions for the preservation or order.

In all other matters great progress had been made. The railways were in a satisfactory condition, and during the last three years, after all charges, including interest and capital, had been met, the net profit had been 6¾ millions sterling per annum. There was not much to complain of in regard to trade and finance, and he made the point that the Government of India was one of the first to take steps for a drastic curtailment of expenditure in order to free the finances of the country from the disturbances consequent upon the war.

Colonel Wedgwood was compelled to condole with the noble lord on having to make a statement so purely non-controversial. He expressed his satisfaction that we had in India as Viceroy an old member of the House, as the Commons was, perhaps, the best possible school for the teaching of responsible government.

The discussion that followed was varied to a degree, but there was very little serious criticism. Both Mr. Saklatvala and Mr. Johnston deplored the labour conditions which made it possible for many thousands of natives to be employed at something under £3 a month, and the hon. member for Dundee, in particular, pointed to the case of Bengal miners, who, he said, had to work for about 3s. 2d. a week.

Earl Winterton, in the course of his reply to the debate, said that Lord Birkenhead had adopted the proposal of the Government of India that there should be additional seats on the Legislative Councils for four Labour representatives and eight representatives of the depressed classes.

The vote was passed.

LORD BANBURY'S BILL.

Lord Banbury got very little sympathy from their lordships this evening when he moved the second reading of his one-clause bill repealing the Trade Disputes Act of 1906. The noble lord frankly admitted that a drastic proposal of this kind would come more fittingly from the Government of the day. The Government, however, had taken no step, and his reason for bringing forward his own bill was that if the matter was not tackled now it would never be done at all.

Lord Templemore moved the adjournment of the debate, and Lord Dunedin, supporting the amendment, said that there was little doubt in his mind that the trade unions wanted to govern the country, but that was a matter for the Government to deal with. The path to be trodden was a thorny one. No private member was capable of taking it.

The Lord Chancellor said that it was not correct to say that the Government were taking no measures to deal with the situation which had been created. A committee which has been apointed to consider the whole of the existing law affecting trade unions was on the point of making its recommendations, and these would be considered by the Cabinet at an early date, with a view to such legislation as might be found necessary. There were two strong objections to Lord Banbury's bill. In the first place it went too far, and in the next place it made no provision for secret ballots. The right of combination had only been won after a hard struggle, and the Government certainly never intended to take away that right. There were, however, abuses which required to be corrected, and this could only be effected on the responsibility of the Government.

The debate was adjourned with Lord Banbury's consent.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

Yesterday the King and Queen drove to the Stepney district and visited the piano factory of Messrs. John Broadwood and Sons, at Stour road, Old Ford. Their Majesties spent a considerable time in the works, and inspected the various departments with much interest.

The Prince of Wales fulfilled a round of engagements yesterday. After a brief visit to Hemel Hempstead, where the centenary of the West Herts Hospital was being celebrated, His Royal Highness went to Watford, and visited the Halsey Memorial Hall, the Peace Memorial Hospital, the London Orphan School, the Royal Masonic Institute for Boys and the Royal Caledonian Schools. He returned to York House in the evening.

Princess Beatrice will leave Kensington Palace to-day for Newport, Isle of Wight. She will spend the next three months at Carisbrooke Castle, and to-morrow will welcome the Prince of Wales on his first official visit to the island.

His Highness Prince Aga Khan has arrived at Kingstown and will attend the Curragh Races this week. The Earl and Countess of Granard have arrived at Castle Forbes from London, and will spend some time in Ireland. Lord and Lady Athlumney will go to Somerville, County Meath, as soon as the alterations in the house are completed. Bishop Plunket and the Hon. Mrs. Plunket returned to St. Anne's, Clontarf, last week, and will entertain a party there for the Dublin Horse Show.

Lord Carnegie and Lady Maud Carnegie, the Duchess of Buccleuch and party, Katharine Duchess of Westminster and the Duchess of Norfolk were present at the ball given by the Hon. Mrs. John Gretton (Lord Ventry's sister) at 35 Belgrave square, London. Her Irish guests included the Duchess of Abercorn and Lady Katharine Hamilton, the Marquis and Marchioness of Dufferin and Ava, Lady Kathleen Crichton, Viscountess Massereene and the Hon. Diana Skeffington, Viscountess de Vesci, and the Hon. Walter and Lady Evelyn Guinness.

General Sir Bryan Mahon and Lady Mahon have returned to Mullaboden, County Kildare, and attended the Curragh Races yesterday. Colonel the Hon. Walter and Lady Evelyn Guinness are in residence at 10 Grosvenor place, London, where Lady Evelyn will give a dance for her niece, Miss Rosalie Willoughby, on Friday night.

The Duke of Devonshire has left Hardwick Hall for Buxton, and will spend a month at St. Anne's Hotel. The Duchess of Roxburghe will leave London next week to join the Duke of Roxburghe at Floors Castle. The Duke of Argyll is at Bath, where he is taking the cure. The Marquis and Marchioness of Aberdeen and Temair will leave London to-morrow for Scotland.

The Hon. Mrs. Reginald Fellowes has chartered Earl Fitzwilliam's steam yacht Shemara for a two months' cruise, and will join the yacht at Arcachon this week. Among the owners seen at the Royal Yacht Squadron during the past few days were the Commodore the Duke of Leeds, the Marquis Camden, the Earl of Birkenhead, the Earl of Normanton, Lord Forster, Sir William Portal, Mr. Lionel de Rothschild, and Mr. E. D. Guinness.

Dr. W. H. Roberts has left Dublin until the end of August.

One of the most enjoyable events during Horse Show week will be the Annual Ball in aid of Mercer's Hospital and the Drogheda Cottage Hospital. In past years this has been a most enjoyable function, and this year it bids fair to eclipse all previous records. It will be under the patronage of His Excellency the Governor-General and many other distinguished patrons, and will be held, as usual, in the Imperial Ballroom, Clery's Building, on Wednesday, August 4th, at 9.30 p.m. Adelaide Orpheus Band. Champagne Supper. Tickets, 30s., can be obtained from Mrs. R. C. B. Maunsell, 60 Merrion square, Dublin, or the Hon. Sec., Mrs. L. V. Hunt, 18 Fair street, Drogheda.

Aravon School Sports will be held on Saturday, July 24th. The Headmaster hopes that Old Boys will take notice of the date, as it is impossible to send invitations to each individually.

Very Special Final Sale Reductions in Switzer's Millinery Department all this week. Next week the New Early Autumn Hats just received from Paris and London will be shown in readiness for the Horse Show.

At Holmes' Sale—All Models ruthlessly reduced, previous to stocktaking.—W. Holmes, Dublin, Ltd., 69, 70, 71 South Great George's street.

Chancellor and Son, Photographers. New Electric Studio, 7 Grafton street, Dublin.

Last two days of Madame Renée's Sale. Final reductions.—51a Dawson street.

Horse Show Models arriving daily at Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton street.

PASSENGERS ON ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.

Arrivals.—The Rev. R. F. Shirley and Mrs. Shirley, J. T. Parker, Captain J. and Mrs. Blood, Mrs. F. W. Tyler, Mr. and Mr. P. J. Browner, M. G. Gubbins, Mrs. J. O'Connor, Captain McArdle.

Departures.—The Rev. P. A. Mullaly, T. C. Flinn, Dr. George Nesbit, M. G. McMurrough Kavanagh, the Bishop of Cork, Pierce F. Purcell.

McBirney's Great Summer Sale, this and following days. Write for Price List. Sent post free.

The Mansfield Sisters are making still further reductions in all departments during the last days of Sale.—28 Wicklow street.

Wilton Square Carpets in great variety. All sizes in stock. Prices moderate.—Millar and Beatty, Ltd.

Anderson, Stanford and Ridgeway's, Grafton street. Big arrival of Carpets.

Reliable Gold Wrist Watches. Fully-jewelled Levers from 57s. 6d. Silver Wrist Watches from 28s. 6d.—John Morton, 48 Nassau st.

Important New Appointment — Brown Thomas have pleasure in announcing the appointment of Mr. J. Kervon as Cutter and Fitter for their Ladies' Costume and Coat Section.—Grafton street, Dublin.

Chiropody and Massage. Consultations free. Mrs. Bithrey, 97 Grafton street (first floor).

Sale—Frocks from 20s., Coats from 3 gns., at Kathlyn's, 54 South King street.

TO LADIES.—Elastic Stockings, Belts and Medical appliances. Special department for ladies on 1st floor. Female attendant.—Fannin and Co., 41 Grafton st.

Annual Summer Sale now proceeding. Further reductions this week—Davis and Co., 45 Grafton st.

WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—A deep depression centred over Iceland is almost stationary, but secondaries to it are likely to move across the British Isles from the Atlantic. Weather will be rather unsettled generally, with rain or drizzle spreading from the West slowly to all districts.

Ireland.—Wind between west and south-west or south, fresh at times; mainly cloudy, occasional rain or drizzle; visibility moderate to good; moderate temperature.

S.W. Seaboard; Irish Sea and St. George's Channel.—Wind west to south-west, fresh to strong at times locally; cloudy, some rain or drizzle; visibility mainly moderate to good; sea moderate to rather rough.

N.W. Seaboard—South-westerly winds, moderate to fresh; cloudy, some rain; visibility poor at times; sea moderate to rather rough.

Dixon and Hempenstall Barometers and Thermometers, 12 Suffolk street, Dublin. —(Advt.)

DUBLIN WEATHER REPORT.

July	Bar.	Thermometer. Temp. 10 a.m.	Max.	Min.	Grass Min.	Wind.	Rain. m.m.	Sun hour
14	30.182	69.5	78	60	55	S.E.	—	12.8
15	30.248	62.4	69	59	—	N.E.	—	0.5
16	0.20	61.2	67	61	—	S.E.	—	0.7
17	30.102	65.2	76	58	—	E.	—	5.2
18	29.7[illegible]4	62.5	65	61	—	S.E.	0.3	0.5
19	29.8[illegible]8	50.1	62	57	—	N.W.	18.5	-
20	29.978	29.2	69	53	—	W.	0.2	9.3

SUN.
SUMMER TIME.
To-day.... Rises .. 5.22 Sets 9.39
To-morrow.. „ ... 5.24 „ 9.38
Lighting-up Time 10.39

HIGH WATER—DUBLIN.
SUMMER TIME.
To-day.. Morning 8.52 Afternoon 9.23
To-morrow... „ ... 9.53 „ 10.23

LONDON LETTER.

AT THE BAR OF THE HOUSE.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
TUESDAY NIGHT.

It must be many years since the City of London presented a petition at the bar of the House of Commons, though I remember when a deputation from the City of Dublin, headed by the Lord Mayor, was received by the House some ten years ago; for, while the right of presenting a petition to the House of Commons is possessed by very few civic bodies, Dublin used to be one of them. This afternoon the House was crowded in expectation of quite a brilliant ceremonial, since the Sheriffs of London had arrived at Westminster with all the pageantry attending the Corporation of the City of London in its public appearances. State carriages had conveyed the civic officials to the House, where on arrival they were conducted to the Speaker's Library to join in his procession through the Lobby to the House. On arrival at the great doors of the Chamber the civic portion of the procession was halted while the Speaker passed on, and a few minutes later the Sheriffs were publicly informed that the Speaker was at his prayers.

The Sheriff's Arrival.

Private business and prayers were soon over, and then the Speaker, ostensibly seeing for the first time the bravery of scarlet robes, sable tippets and gold chains, inquired of the Serjeant-at-Arms "Who is there?" The Serjeant, bowing, replied "The Sheriffs of London"; and, taking the mace on his shoulder, walked to the door and invited the Sheriffs and the City Remembrancer to enter. This they did, but at the same moment the attendants drew the bar from its resting place and cut off admission to the floor of the House. The Speaker inquired what the Sheriffs had there, and a petition was discovered praying that the Union of Benefices Bill be not presented for the Royal Assent. This was collected by the Clerk of the House, who handed it to the Speaker, who returned it with instructions that it should be read. This was done, and the House, presumably, was deeply edified by the reasons given by the City why the Bill should not become law; for there were quite loud cheers at the conclusion of the recital. The Sheriffs then backed out of the House with three deep reverences, the petition was dropped into a black bag, and the event of the day was over.

Conservative Slackness.

The falling off in the attendance of Conservative members of the House of Commons has brought forth a stern warning from the Government Chief Whip, remonstrating with those who are irregular in their attendance, while pointing out that continued absenteeism must mean a curtailment of the summer holidays. His action is due to the small attendance at the sitting on Fridays, particularly that of Friday last, when Mr. Walter Guinness introduced the Government's principal agricultural measure of the session. There were no more than one hundred and fifty Conservative members present at any time, and, as four o'clock drew near, the attendance had fallen so low that the Government was unable to move the closure of the debate. That the Chief Government Whip should have found it necessary to issue such a warning is surprising, in view of the fact that the Government majority has enabled the Whips to arrange considerable relief during the sittings for members of the Conservative Party.

The Franc.

The decline of the franc continues, while the bitter feeling against Americans is increasing in Paris. Report indicates that some unpleasant scenes took place last night in the streets, when Americans were insulted while dining in the open air. This indication of strong feeling is interesting, since France always had a sentimental consideration for the United States, while it indicates that she realises that the pressure for the payment of war debts is inspired by the action of her old friend, and not by the necessities of Great Britain alone. In the City of London some anxiety is felt about the delivery of goods ordered in France at the current rate of exchange a few weeks ago; for it is feared that French merchants, in all probability, will try to evade their contracts, since delivery at a profit will be out of the question.

The Lane Beques.

The situation here in regard to the Lane Collection is somewhat nebulous; for it is difficult to secure an expression of opinion from anybody not biassed. Nearly everybody with Irish sentiment thinks that the pictures ought to go to Dublin, while on the other side the idea is that the pictures are admirably placed in the Gallery of British Art at Millbank. In the meanwhile the Bill introduced in the House of Lords by Lord Carson proposing that the pictures should be lent or given to Ireland still hangs fire. It is awaiting consideration by the Committee of Standing Orders in the House of Lords.

Mr. Lloyd George.

Rumour says that Mr. Lloyd George, who had intended to pay a visit to Russia this autumn, has abandoned his intention for the present, and that he will devote himself to pushing his land campaign and to the regeneration of the Liberal Party. The struggle in this party is now likely to be based more on finance than on policy, and Mr. Lloyd George is thus hopeful of success, since he controls the greatest amount of money. He will not be allowed to assume control of the party without a struggle, however; for opposition will be strong on the part of those who do not intend to come under his domination again.

The West Ham Guardians.

Considerable interest is being taken in the developments with regard to the Guardians in West Ham. This township hitherto has been looked upon as an *El Dorado* by the shiftless; but, with the coming into force of the new authority to-day, very considerable changes will take place. Seventy-two thousand persons have been receiving relief every week on occasions, while there is a permanent list of twenty-seven thousand, or one in every ten of the population. The new scheme will distribute relief on quite a different system to the old, and there will be much done with relief in kind instead of money. Arrangements are being made for a loan of a quarter of a million pounds to enable the new Guardians to carry on and to meet the three thousand cheques left to them as a legacy by the old Guardians without a penny in the bank to meet them.

TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS.

Theatre Royal—"Posh," 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Gaiety Theatre—Closed.
Olympia Theatre—"Our Lodger," 7 and 9 p.m.
Abbey Theatre—"The Whiteheaded Boy" and "Crabbed Youth and Age," 8 p.m.
Metropole Cinema—"Lady Robin Hood," 2.50, 5, 7.10, and 9.20 p.m.
La Scala Cinema—"The Street of Forgotten Men," 3 to 10.30 p.m.
Grafton Cinema—"The Verdict," 2.20, 4.40, 7, and 9.20 p.m.
Grand Central Cinema—"A Wild Night," 3 to 10.30 p.m.
Pavilion Cinema, Dun Laoghaire—"The Best Bad Man," 3.30 to 10.15 p.m.
Dail Eireann, 3 p.m.
Grangegorman Mental Hospital, 12 noon.
Dublin Union Commissioners, 11 a.m.
Central Criminal Court, 11.30 a.m.

WARSHIP'S VISIT CANCELLED.

It is learned from the Free State Department of External Affairs that the visit of the Norwegian coast defence vessel Tordenskjold (which was to have reached Dublin on last Monday) was cancelled owing to difficulties concerning the coaling of the ship.

SALE OF NATIONAL LAND BANK.

ABSORBED BY BANK OF IRELAND.

STATE'S GOOD BARGAIN.

INTERESTS OF CUSTOMERS AND STAFF SAFEGUARDED.

THE National Land Bank, which has been in existence for nearly six and a half years, is being acquired by the Bank of Ireland. Mr. Blythe, in the Dail yesterday, announced that the Executive Council had accepted an offer of £203,000 for the Free State Government's interest in the bank.

The directors of the Land Bank endorse the Government's decision, which, they state is a "wise move," as the Land Bank occupied an anomalous position, since it was neither a State bank nor a bank controlled by private shareholders. They declare that it has been apparent to them for some years that there is no satisfactory "half-way house."

They point out that only a relatively small proportion of the Government's business was entrusted to the bank, which did not succeed in justifying the early anticipations that it would obtain a substantial share of the bank deposits in Ireland.

The Bank of Ireland intends to continue the Land Bank, and the interests of the clients are fully safeguarded. The present directors—with the exception of Mr. Blythe and Mr. McElligott—will continue to act, and the staff will be taken over or substantially compensated.

The Minister's statement apparently took the House by surprise, and Mr. M. Heffernan, of the Farmers' Party, moved that the sale should not be proceeded with pending the publication of the report of the Banking Commission. The motion was defeated by 32 votes against 18.

DEBATE IN DAIL.

MINISTER'S ACCOUNT OF NEGOTIATIONS.

Mr. Blythe, Minister for Finance, in Dail Eireann yesterday, stated that the Executive Council had decided to dispose of the interest of the Minister for Finance in the National Land Bank. He had on a previous occasion referred to the anomalous position of that bank, and he had asked the Banking Commission to consider what should be the future of the National Land Bank—whether it should be continued as heretofore or whether its work should be terminated. The Banking Commission, in an interim report, recommended that the bank should be discontinued, either by disposing of it to another institution or winding it up.

Before the matter had been considered by the Banking Commission he had received an inquiry from the Bank of Ireland as to whether the Government would consider an offer for the purchase of the National Land Bank. The result of negotiations that followed was that the Bank of Ireland had offered £203,000 for the interests of the Minister for Finance in the National Land Bank. That was the amount of the paid up capital of the bank, and the Executive Council had accepted the offer. Of that sum £13,000 would remain outstanding for a period of three years. The reason for that arrangement was to make provision for the staff of the National Land Bank.

HISTORY OF BANK.

The bank was founded in 1919 with the object, chiefly, of preventing the national struggle from being turned into a land war, and to help in the distribution of land. After some time it was decided to widen the scope of the bank and to receive money on deposit from the public. Branches were set up in different parts, but they got little support, even from persons who asked for those branches. Those branches came under the suspicion of the British authorities; several were raided, and the whole staff of one was taken out on a lorry into the country. The persons who entered the service of the National Land Bank from other posts of substantial value undertook very substantial risks, and it was incumbent upon the Government to see that they were not victimised or let down in any way.

The Bank of Ireland had agreed that the permanent staff of the Land Bank would be given employment at salaries not less than those which they were in receipt of before the transfer, and also that provision should be made for their retiring pensions in accordance with the Irish banks arbitration award. Those members of the staff for whom the Bank of Ireland could not find employment would receive compensation equivalent to two-thirds of their salaries. The Government had agreed that half the cost of giving that compensation should be borne by the State, and that was why the £13,000 of the purchase money would remain outstanding for three years.

In reply to Mr. Johnson, the Minister said that the staff of the Land Bank would have the option of going over to the Bank of Ireland, and they would be given employment equivalent to that which they were leaving, and without reduction of salary. If they were not given that employment the bill for compensation would be a very high one. The Bank of Ireland would continue to run the National Land Bank central branch as heretofore for a period of, perhaps, a year, so that its customers might not be inconvenienced, and might be given time to make other arrangements.

A GOOD BARGAIN.

Even before he knew of the offer, the auditor of the bank had been asked, in view of statements in the Dail recently, to estimate what would be the selling value of the Government's assets in the National Land Bank. The auditor's report was such that the Government was satisfied that the present offer was a good one. It would give a greater sum to the Exchequer than would have been realised by liquidating the bank.

Liquidation would have been an extremely difficult matter, and disposal of the staff would have meant the paying out of a great sum. It would have been impossible in the case of many customers of the bank to bring their accounts to a close without allowing a very long period to elapse, and in the meantime the bank would gain no new customers and would be more and more a losing concern every day.

He considered that the Government were fortunate in having got a good offer for the interest of the State.

Mr. Esmonde asked whether opportunity had been given to other companies to make an offer.

Mr. Blythe replied that other companies had the same opportunity. It was known in banking circles that the matter was under discussion.

With regard to the £300,000 advanced by the State to the National Land Bank for the purposes of the Trade Loans Guarantee Act, Mr. Blythe (in reply to Mr. Wilson) said that twelve months' notice had to be given before the advance could be withdrawn. If the Bank of Ireland were willing to continue the work for which the advance was made there might be some object in leaving it there, otherwise the proper method would be to give notice to withdraw.

Mr. Johnson asked whether the Minister had obtained any security against the Bank of Ireland being "gobbled up" by some other bank.

Mr. Blythe said that when the final report of the Banking Commission was received among the questions that would have to be considered would be the question of banks that were not Irish companies, and whether banks not registered in the Free State should be allowed to carry on.

Mr. Johnson asked what hurry there was in connection with the transfer, and whether

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"A WISE DECISION."

STATEMENT BY LAND BANK DIRECTORS.

The following statement was issued last evening from the head office of the National Land Bank, Dublin:—

We have to announce that proposals under which the shares now held by the Minister for Finance will be purchased by the Bank of Ireland have been accepted by the Government, and the Bank of Ireland will consequently have control of the bank in future.

The reasons which have led the Government to take this step and the various details of the arrangement will, we understand, be explained in the Dail to-day by the Minister for Finance. We have, however, the authority of the Governors and Directors of the Bank of Ireland to state that it is their intention to continue the National Land Bank, and that the change in ownership will not in any way adversely affect the business of the bank, which will be carried on in these premises as heretofore. Clients of the bank will be able to continue business without any change, and the bank will be in a position to offer the same facilities to the public as previously, with the additional advantage of a close connection with the Bank of Ireland.

The question of the possible discontinuance of branches of the bank where branches of the Bank of Ireland also exist will be considered later, and in any change which may prove desirable the interests of the clients of the bank will be fully safeguarded. We would like also to say that the interests and rights of the staff have been fully safeguarded in the agreement made with the Minister.

We are also authorised to state that the present directors will continue on the Board of the National Land Bank, with the exception of the Minister for Finance and Mr. McElligott, who is his direct representative.

We would like to take this opportunity to state that, in our opinion, the decision of the Government to accept the offer made by the Bank of Ireland is a wise one, having regard to all the circumstances. It has been apparent to us for some years that there was no satisfactory half-way house between a State Bank, regulated by statute and carrying out definite functions for and on behalf of the State, and a bank controlled by private shareholders. The position of the National Land Bank has been anomalous, in so far as it was neither one nor the other. Its functions were not clearly defined, and only a relatively small proportion of the Government's business was entrusted to it.

In form it has been managed and has functioned for the past few years on similar lines to the Irish Joint Stock Banks. When it was created by the action of the First Dail it was believed that it would be supported by the people, and that it would obtain a substantial share of the bank deposits in Ireland.

These anticipations were not fully realised, and as the Government did not consider the development of the bank into a State Bank either desirable or practicable at the present time, it is our considered opinion that they have acted wisely in accepting the offer of the Bank of Ireland, as under these proposals the State connection with the bank is terminated without any inconvenience to the bank's customers, and without endangering the rights of the bank's staff.

(Signed)
JAMES G. DOUGLAS, Chairman.
J. J. MCELLIGOTT,
L. SMITH-GORDON,
T. CAFFREY, Directors.

HISTORY OF THE BANK.

BALANCE SHEET FIGURES FOR 1924-5.

The National Land Bank was registered in December, 1919, under the Industrial and Provident Societies Acts, with its offices at 66 Lower Leeson street. Mr. Lionel Smith Gordon was Secretary and Manager, and the directors were:—

MR. R. C. BARTON (Chairman), MR. JAMES MCNEILL,
MR. R. ERSKINE CHILDERS,
SIR H. GRATTAN BELLEW, MR. H. DIXON.

The company was afterwards incorporated like other Irish banks, and the head office was removed to 10 College Green, Dublin.

The capital is £406,636 in shares of £1, all of which has been subscribed, and £203,337, or 10s. per share, called up.

In December, 1922, interest was paid on the share capital (in accordance with a decree of Dail Eireann in November, 1919) up to December 31st, 1922. Under the provisions of the Dail Eireann Loans and Funds Acts, 406,000 shares in the bank were vested in the Minister of Finance in 1923, and shares held by Co-operative Farming Societies were repaid.

The Board of Directors was reconstituted in accordance with the new distribution of shares, and consisted of:—

MR. JAMES C. DOUGLAS (Chairman),
MR. ERNEST BLYTHE (Minister of Finance),
MR. J. J. MCELLIGOTT, and
MR. LIONEL SMITH GORDON, managing director and secretary.

Mr. T. Caffrey acted as general manager.

In the first half of 1924 the register of Compensation Stock was opened at the head office of the bank, and immediately afterwards a register was opened for Land Bonds under the Act of 1923. During the year 1925 Land Mortgages valued at £312,319 were transferred to the Irish Land Commission, and were replaced in the accounts by 4½ per cent. Land Bonds of an equivalent amount. To meet any difference in the market value of the bonds, the directors by agreement with the Minister of Finance, transferred to special reserve the sum of £88,611, an amount voted in 1921, and held to credit of deposit account to meet this contingency.

A sum of £5,823 was paid as interest on the capital out of a net profit of £15,316, being at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum. A dividend was also paid in December, 1924.

Early in the present year Mr. Lionel Smyth Gordon, the Managing Director and Secretary, resigned his position to become Manager of the Industrial Trust Company of Ireland, but he retained his directorship.

Appended is a table setting forth the principal balance sheet items as at December, 1924, and December, 1925, the report for 1926 not yet having been published:—

	Dec., 1924. £	Dec., 1925. £
Capital	203,017	203,017
Land Security Deposits	83.524	*88,611
Deposits and other Accounts	1,389,293	1,567,472
Reserve Fund	14,000	17,000
Premises Reserve	7,500	9,500
Land Advances	314,887	†424,557
Cash	324,725	490,159
Advances	895,140	876,276
Bills Discounted	46,902	48,508
Premises	67,965	67,965
Gross Profits	21,934	41,216
Working Expenses	14,289	25,900
Net Profit	7,654	15,316
To Reserves	5,000	5,000
Forward	6,550	6,550

* Now "Special Reserve."
† Now represented by "Investments in Government Securities, Mortgage Debenture Bonds, and Bonds in course of transfer."

The cash position of the bank has always been very strong. Branches were opened in Limerick, Waterford, Tralee, Athlone, and Ennis; while the Westminster Bank and the Guaranty Trust Company of New York acted as agents in London, New York, and Paris.

BIG FIRE IN GALWAY.

THEATRE AND AUCTION MART BURNED.

OUTBREAK CAUSED BY FUSED WIRES.

Last evening a fire broke out in the Victoria Cinema Theatre, Galway, and within a few hours the theatre and an adjoining building were destroyed.

The fire was caused by the fusing of wires in the operating box, and the few people in the theatre at the time escaped.

THE OUTBREAK.

FILM SCREENS ON FIRE.

The fire in the theatre started at twenty minutes past seven o'clock, just as the operator was preparing to project the first film on the screen. Only a few people had taken their seats in the auditorium and the balcony, at the back of which was the concrete operating box, which contained the films. The regular operator was away, and in his absence Mr. James Joyce, who is employed by Mr. M. J. H. McGrath, the lessee of the theatre, took charge.

U.S. HEAT WAVE DEATHS.

The spasmodic heat wave of the past fortnight reached its apex in Chicago, where 25 persons have died of heat strokes, with the mercury at 100 or above.

In South Dakota the temperature was 108.

New York's temperature has been more bearable during the last few days, but in the middle West the temperature has reached 100 degrees.—(Reuter.)

As Joyce switched on the electric current to operate the cinematograph machine, the wires fused. There was a blinding flash, and it was found that one of the film boxes had burst into flames. Joyce immediately gave the alarm, and Mr. McGrath dashed upstairs with a chemical fire extinguishing apparatus.

ESCAPE OF THE AUDIENCE.

By this time the operating box was a mass of smoke and flames, and in their effort to check the fire both the operator and the proprietor had their hands and hair singed, and had to be treated by a doctor. Meanwhile the small audience had hurriedly left, and Thomas Laffey, of the Claddagh, was sent for the only fire engine that is available in the city. It is housed with the Civic Guards at Eglinton Street Station. A few minutes later picture-goers who walked along Eyre square to Victoria place to the theatre were amazed to find the building in flames. The fire had spread with great rapidity, and in less than half an hour the theatre, which was erected by the late Mr. R. J. Mackie fifteen years ago, was a mass of sparks and flames.

Sergeant Tallon, of Eglinton Street Station, organised a *posse* of the Guards, and hurried to the scene, while the hand fire engine was brought along. Superintendent Comyn withdrew every Guard in the city from duty and sent them to the fire, and an armed company of the Irish-speaking battalion of the Army, under Captain Timony, came from Renmore Barracks to keep back the thousands that by nine o'clock had collected around the theatre.

FIGHTING THE FLAMES.

The employes of the Galway General Omnibus Company, whose dépôt is across the road, stood by to guard their petrol tanks and the vehicles from the flying sparks, while Messrs. McDonogh's men gathered on the tarred roofs of the guano stores, with buckets of water and wet sacks, to keep off the flames. The wind blew from the south-west, and every gust sent showers of sparks and burning wood on to the roof. It was a thrilling sight to see the men on the roofs working hard to keep the sporting flames under control. No sooner had a flame sprung up on one part of the roof than a vigilant fire-fighter pounced upon it with wet sacks or water buckets.

A great portion of the furniture and antiques were removed from Roche's auction mart, next door, which is Church property, and where for many years meetings of the various societies had been held; but the flames encompassed it so rapidly that the fire-fighters had to descend their ladders and try to prevent the fire from reaching the dwellings next door.

By 11 o'clock the flames had sprung skywards and the two buildings resembled two great torches. Many tourists crowded the windows of the Railway Hotel to watch the spectacle. A pathetic interlude was afforded when a big black cat, frightened by the crowds, dashed into the burning building, and before it could regain safety was burned to a cinder.

CALL TO THE CURRAGH.

For a time it looked as if the great gas containers of the Galway Gas Light Company were in danger, but fortunately the wind veered in the other direction and they were saved. The military fire brigade at the Curragh was telegraphed for, and news was received that they had left for the scene at 9 o'clock. The fire strikingly illustrates the urgent need for efficient provincial brigades. The theatre was worth from £8,000 to £10,000, and was partially insured.

At 11 o'clock full water pressure was obtained, and the Guards broke through Mannion's house, next to the Auction Mart, and turned a line of hose into the flames, thus checking the fire. Mr. Carter, caretaker of the mart, is homeless, and a sum of £50, the property of his sister, is said to have been lost in the fire. The Mannions are likewise homeless, and all their furniture is on the street. By heroic efforts the gas workers succeeded in cutting off an old gas pipe connecting the works across the road with the theatre.

At midnight the fire was under control.

HEAD OF THE "CHEKA."

DEATH OF DZERCZINSKY.

MOSCOW, *Tuesday*.

The death is announced of Dzerczinsky, a People's Commissar. He was President of the Supreme Economic Council of the Soviet Union, and the President of the "A.G.P.U.," or State Political Department, formerly known as the "Cheka." His death occurred suddenly, owing to cardiac paralysis.

Dzerczinsky was born in 1877. He began to take part in the revolutionary movement in 1895, and was one of the principal leaders of the October revolution. He became President of the Cheka, and later of the "A.G.P.U." (State Political Department).—(Reuter.)

NEW PATENTS BILL.

THE PROTECTION OF AN INVENTOR'S RIGHTS.

GOVERNMENT'S PLAN

IF DECISION OF THE HIGH COURT IS UPHELD.

IN Dail Eireann yesterday Mr. P. McGilligan, Minister for Industry and Commerce, introduced the Patents, Designs and Trade Marks Bill.

He referred to the judgment given by Mr. Justice Meredith in the High Court last week to the effect that Letters Patent granted in London before December 7th, 1921, had no force in the Free State, and said that, if that decision were established as a rule of law, it was the view of the Executive Council that there should be legislation to declare the validity of the patents concerned.

If the Supreme Court reversed Mr. Justice Meredith's decision, the bill would be withdrawn.

The Minister for Justice invited the House to approve the Rules of Court. Mr. Thomas Johnson moved the rejection of the rules for the Circuit Court. The debate was adjourned.

PATENTS BILL.

SEQUEL TO HIGH COURT DECISION.

In Dail Eireann yesterday, Mr. McGilligan, Minister for Commerce, sought leave to introduce a Patents and Designs Bill. The main section, he said, was Section 2, which was to give continued validity to patents granted by the Patent Office, in London, before the 7th December, 1921. There were a few other sections doing exactly the same with regard to trade marks and designs.

Deputies, the Minister said, must have noticed that a judge of the High Court had decided that patents granted before the 7th December, 1921, ceased, by the very setting up of the Free State, to have any further force and effect in the Free State. An appeal had been entered against that decision, and the matter was *sub judice*. If that judgment were established, it was the view of the Executive Council that there should be legislation to declare the validity of the patents, and to declare that with retrospective effect.

The bill is the Patents, Trade Marks and Designs (Validation) Bill, and the purpose is stated in the title as being "to declare and establish the validity in Saorstat Eireann of certain British patents and the British registration of certain trade marks and designs."

Mr. Johnson asked if it was decent to introduce at that stage a bill which could not be taken further till November. It seemed to be calculated to prejudice the decision of the Court.

QUESTION OF COPYRIGHT.

Major Cooper pointed out that the Minister had omitted altogether the question of copyright, which might be challenged any day in the same way as patents.

Mr. O'Connell—Will the Minister say whether the bill will be necessary if the decision of the High Court is reversed?

Mr. McGilligan—No.

Mr. Johnson—Then it is a bill which we certainly ought not to allow to be introduced. It is what is called "waving the flag"—telling the Courts what the Legislature would like them to do.

Mr. O'Higgins said that the bill was introduced now as a matter of Parliamentary convenience. Talk of "waving the flag" was illusory; the Court had nothing to do with bills.

Mr. Johnson said that he opposed the introduction of the bill, not on account of the merits, because of those he knew nothing, but because of the statements of the Ministers. The position had been known for some months in the departments.

Mr. McGilligan—No.

Mr. Johnson—It has been believed in the departments to be what it has been found by the Court.

Mr. McGilligan—No; it has not.

Mr. O'Higgins—Where does the deputy get that extraordinary information?

Mr. Johnson—I am making an assertion.

Mr. O'Higgins—And we are making the contrary assertion.

Mr. Johnson, resuming, said that it had been general public property that the law was as stated by Mr. Justice Meredith. Now Ministers were wakening, suddenly, to the fact that that was the position; and, in response to the outcry across the water, they produced this measure. There had been no outcry in Ireland in defence of Irish interests. He asked whether any reciprocal proposals had been obtained from the British side. Under the present patents law protection should not be given unless certain steps had been taken by the patentees to manufacture the patented articles in the Free State. Was that being put into operation? Compliance with that law ought to have been obtained as a *quid pro quo* in connection with the declaration of validity.

A CRIMINAL ACT.

Major Cooper said that patents were the outcome of a man's brains and became a valuable asset. Why should they, a new State, confiscate property belonging to others who had invested their money and used their mental powers to develop industry and increase the amenities of life? To do so would be a wrong and criminal act. He submitted that the protection of the State's reputation for honesty and fair-play was more important than the matter of justifying Deputy Johnson's national pride and dignity.

Mr. J. J. Walsh asked if Deputy Cooper were aware that a number of patents had been recently stolen from another country.

Major Cooper replied that if there was any case like that, it should be brought before the Courts. He ventured to think that the Minister did wisely in giving notice that they were prepared to deal with this matter not on a national, but on an international basis, and that they would treat patentees of other countries fairly. He would be sorry if Deputy Johnson carried the question to a point that meant that the Saorstat would get a reputation that would not be enviable.

BOTH WAYS.

Mr. McGilligan remarked that there was no one in the House who stood up to defend the dignity of the Courts more than Deputy Johnson, and at the same time he held the judges up to scorn. Let them imagine a judge—asked to decide if there were such a law existing in the Free State—being influenced by this bill. That, however, was Deputy Johnson's opinion of the judges. The deputy had spoken about the patentees manufacturing in the Saorstat, and had asked why the Government did not enforce certain obligations as a *quid pro quo* for recognising the validity of the patents of yesterday and at the same time the patents of to-day, when there was no patents law in the country. He wondered if that was an example of the public's knowledge of patents law, and if Deputy Johnson, in his wisdom, were giving it as such to the House.

Deputy Johnson had spoken about waving flags, but he had hoisted a very extraordinary flag there that day—the flag of the pirate—and that was why he requested the House to refuse the bill a first reading.

On a division the first reading motion was carried by 46 votes to 9.

BILLS FROM SENATE.

The House then took up consideration of business received back from the Senate. The amendments made by the Senate to the following measures were accepted:—Juries (Dublin) Bill, Local Authorities (Officers and Employés) Bill, Finance Bill, and Shop Hours (Drapery Trades, Dublin and Districts) Bill.

On the Tariff Commission Bill, the Minister moved that the House agree with the Senate's amendment to Section 2 of the measure. The amendment proposes that the

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HOUSE OF LORDS REFORM.

MR. BALDWIN'S REPLY TO DEPUTATION.

VIEWS OF UNIONIST MEMBERS.

The Grand Committee Room at the House of Commons was crowded yesterday afternoon by a deputation of Unionist members who waited on the Prime Minister to impress upon the Government the urgency of the reform of the House of Lords. The following official report of the proceedings was issued:—

"The Prime Minister, who was accompanied by the Lord Privy Seal, the Secretary of State for India, the Home Secretary, the Secretary of State for Air, the First Commissioner of Works, and the Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, met to-day a deputation from Unionist members of both Houses of Parliament in connection with the reform of the House of Lords.

"In reply to statements made on behalf of the deputation by Sir Robert Sanders and the Earl of Midleton, the Prime Minister repeated the pledge which he had previously given, that it was the intention of the Government to deal with this question in the lifetime of the present Parliament. If the members of the two Committees of the House of Lords and the House of Commons could reach a close measure of agreement on a definite scheme of reform, the Government would welcome any suggestions which might result from their joint deliberations."

COMMITTEES' VIEWS.

The Press Association adds that Sir Robert Sanders, in introducing the deputation, placed before the Prime Minister the results of the last meeting of the Committee, which was attended by some eighty members. It was unanimously agreed, he said, that the Parliament Act is, admittedly, a temporary and incomplete measure. It was agreed nearly unanimously that the necessary amendment of the Parliament Act ought to be considered without delay. It was unanimously agreed that the duty of defining what is, or is not, a Money Bill should no longer rest with the Speaker. It was agreed nearly unanimously that no Bill rejected by the Second Chamber should become law without reference to the electorate, provided always that the Second Chamber be reconstituted on a more democratic basis than the existing House of Lords. It was unanimously agreed that, in case of a difference between the two Houses, which cannot be settled by conference and negotiation, the Government may resort to a referendum.

A long discussion on the "hereditary element" took place. When put to the vote, 33 voted against the hereditary element and 26 for it, a number refraining from voting. The danger we apprehend, said Sir Robert, is not so much that of Socialists getting a majority in the country. What is more than possible is that, without a majority in the country, they may have, as we have now, a considerable majority in the House of Commons. In that case they could, under the Parliament Act, pass, in one year, any measure certified by their Speaker to be financial, and, in two years, any measure of any sort or kind, without consulting the people in any way. That is a very great danger. It is one that we think it is particularly the duty of a Government with a big majority to deal with, and we respectfully urge that a start ought to be made next session, in order that a remedial measure may be given every chance to pass, and in order that it may not be new to the electorate when an election comes on.

The Earl of Midleton said:—We have been able to ascertain the views of between 200 and 300 Unionist peers on the question of Second Chamber reform. The vast majority of them have signified, in writing, their general assent to the principle of reform on the following lines:—

1.—The Parliament Act is held to require amendment—(a) in regard to the Speaker's sole discretion as to money bills; (b) as regards the power of the House of Commons, under the Parliament Act, to pass measures of constitutional change affecting the Crown and the Second Chamber of Parliament as the sole instrument of legislation; (c) as regards the absence of any provision for settling differences between the two Houses, either by referendum or otherwise.

2.—Provided that the Parliament Act can be so amended that drastic changes cannot be carried through without the will of the people being clearly ascertained, the great majority of peers, whose opinion we have ascertained, are willing to accept changes in the *personnel* of the House of Lords. They recognise that the numbers of the House should be reduced, and that opportunity should be given for the admission of men representing all political parties; but they are not prepared to sacrifice, for themselves and their descendants, their hereditary rights to sit and vote, unless some proportion of the new House be chosen by the existing peers. Subject to the above, provided that the measure be a simple one, dealing with as few questions as possible and be put forward with the authority of the Government, we anticipate that its passage through the House of Lords would be assured.

The deputation comprised 120 members of Parliament, headed by Sir Robert Sanders, Bart., Chairman of the Second Chamber Committee, and forty-eight peers.

CITY OF LONDON'S PETITION.

PICTURESQUE CEREMONY IN THE COMMONS.

Members of the House of Commons yesterday witnessed the rare and picturesque ceremony of the presentation of a petition at the Bar of the House on behalf of the Corporation of the City of London. When the private business had been disposed of the Sergeant-at-Arms advanced to the Table, and, addressing the Speaker, said—"Mr. Sheriff, of the City of London." He then took the Mace on his shoulders and retired towards the Bar. Meanwhile, attendants of the House were placing in position the Bar, which is never seen except on an occasion of this kind.

While this was being done, Mr. Jack Jones said:—Mr. Speaker, on a point of order, may I ask this question, in my ignorance: "I should like to know if other Corporations who have petitions against bills passed by Parliament——" (Cries of "Order.")

The Speaker—That question should be put at some other time.

By this time the Sheriffs of the City of London—Mr. Alderman Batho and Mr. Francis Agar, in Court dress, and wearing scarlet gowns and their chains of office, and the City Remembrancer, in wig and gown, had approached the Bar, where they were met by the Sergeant-at-Arms, who stood at their right with the Mace while they were in the Chamber.

The Sheriffs having made three obeisances, the Speaker, addressing the Sheriff, said—"Mr. Sheriff, what have you there?" Mr. Alderman Batho replied: "A petition from the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London in Common Council assembled, praying that the Union of Benefices and Disposal of Churches (Metropolis) Measure of 1926 be not presented to His Majesty for the Royal Assent." The Sheriff, Alderman Batho, then handed the petition to one of the clerks, who brought it to the Senior Clerk at the table.

Mr. E. C. Grenfell—I beg to move that the salient parts of the petition be read to the House.

While this was being done by the Clerk of the House, Sir Lonsdale Webster, the Sheriffs and the City Remembrancer remained standing at the Bar, and afterwards they made three reverences to the Speaker, and withdrew backwards from the Chamber, still accompanied by the Sergeant-at-Arms.

The Mace was then restored to the table, and the House resumed its ordinary business.

RESERVED SEATS FOR RAILWAY PASSENGERS.

In an advertisement which is published to-day, the Great Southern Railways announce the introduction of innovations which are of much interest to the travelling public. Passengers can have their seats in trains reserved in advance on payment of one shilling per passenger; and, motor cars, accompanying a party consisting of not less than two first and four third class passengers, will be conveyed at the much reduced rate of three pence per mile.

LATE NEWS

THE LANE PICTURES.

LORD ABERDEEN'S VIEW

In a letter to *The Times*, Lord Aberdeen and Temair writes:—If Sir Hugh Lane had been of Scottish birth, or even a domiciled resident in Scotland when he wrote his final codicil, it would certainly have been valid; for according to Scottish law and usage any "holograph" codicil found among the papers of a deceased person, even though the document is unattested by witnesses and expressed in simplest language, would certainly be recognised by any Scottish law court as operative. Of course, this does not affect the "letter of the law" in England, though it seems to suggest an effective analogy, and, although the Commissioners can on legal grounds claim the retention of the pictures, they would also apparently be entitled to waive that claim and, by an act of grace and national courtesy, recommend the restoration of the collection to Ireland. Or, if legislation is needed to enable this to be done, it can scarcely be believed that there would be any exception in this instance to the adage, "Where there's a will there's a way."

The matter has, in truth, a national, or rather an international, bearing, and I would beg to draw attention to the recent utterances of your well-known contemporary, the *Irish Times* on this aspect of the subject. Thus in a leading article of the *Irish Times* of the 15th inst., the following passage occurs—with reference to a speech by Mr. S. L. Brown, K.C., in the Free State Senate:—

"When Senator Brown said that this was a case not between two galleries, but between two nations, he lifted it to its proper plane. Things infinitely more precious than the Lane pictures are at stake in the dispute. If they disturb the growing friendship between England and the Free State the pictures may become a shirt of Nessus to England . . . and would blast a thousand hopes. If the fate of the Lane pictures furnishes Ireland with a noble proof of English magnanimity and good-will, they may acquire a value ten times greater than that of all the Old Masters which have been transferred from Europe to America. . . . The pictures must be won for Dublin by appeals, not to legal rights, but to moral and social expediency. We must ask the British Government and Parliament to take the necessary measures, mainly because the return of the pictures would breed respect and friendship between both countries."

Of course, everyone acquainted with Ireland knows that the *Irish Times* is the recognised and chief exponent of what is still described as Unionist feeling in that country, but amongst the widespread regions where readers of *The Times* are to be found there may be many who are not aware of the above circumstance, which certainly gives an encouraging significance to the advocacy above quoted.

In conclusion, if a personal item may be permitted, I venture to remark that, having been officially resident in Ireland during the years when the discussions regarding the *habitat* of the Lane pictures were in progress, I am one of those who can testify to the strong, earnest purpose and wish of Sir Hugh Lane that the pictures should have their permanent home in Dublin, and that any deviation from this purpose should be regarded as a phase of a merely temporary and transient character. Taking a comprehensive view of the matter, it seems clear that it would not be consistent with British dignity and British fair-play to allow any accidental technicality to be the means of withholding an action which would be fraught with lasting benefit in regard to the relations between the two countries.

[**A statement in the Dail yesterday will be found on Page 5.**]

DEATH OF CRIMEAN VETERAN.

SURVIVOR OF THE LIGHT BRIGADE.

Mr. James Hewitt, who was supposed to be the last survivor of the charge of the Light Brigade at Balaclava, died on Monday last at his residence, 15 Hamilton place, Portrush.

Mr. Hewitt was born near Ballyshannon, County Donegal, in November, 1831. In 1853 he enlisted in the 13th Light Dragoons at Canterbury, and in the following year he was sent with his regiment to the Crimea. He had the Crimean Medal, with four clasps—Sebastopol, Alma, Inkerman, and Balaclava. After the Crimean War Hewitt served in the Indian Mutiny, had the Central Indian Medal, the Red River Medal, 1870, and the North Saskatchewan Medal, 1885.

In 1910 Mr. Hewitt returned to Ireland, and settled for a time at Drumquin, County Tyrone. The unsettled state of that county afterwards caused him to leave it and settle at Portrush.

KING OF AFGHANISTAN.

PROPOSAL TO CHANGE AMIR'S TITLE.

SIMLA, *Tuesday*.

The latest advices from Kabul report that a movement is on foot to change the title of the Amir of Afghanistan to King of Afghanistan.

The Hakin-i'-Ala (Governor) of Kabul, who was recently awarded the Astur Medal of the First Class, with 10,000 Afghanis, for good services, speaking after the Juma prayers, asked the congregation to replace the word "Amir" by "King," because Amir only meant the chief of a tribe, whereas the Amir Amanullah Khan was the independent King of an independent Kingdom, controlling all internal and external rights and privileges.—(Reuter.)

THE LATE DOWAGER LADY HEADFORT.

FATAL FALL FROM A LIFT.

Mr. Ingleby Oddie, the Westminster Coroner, yesterday recorded a verdict of accidental death in the case of the Dowager Marchioness of Headfort, who died at her residence, 32 Wilton place, Knightsbridge, London, as the result of falling from a lift.

Colonel Stanley, M.P., of Eaton place, said that the Dowager Marchioness, who was aged 86 years, was his mother-in-law. He saw her last three weeks ago, after she had met with the accident, but she did not tell him how it happened.

Louisa Dalby, lady's maid, said that at five o'clock on the afternoon of June 28 she was going to dress the Marchioness for a motor drive, and found her on the marble floor of the hall, by the lift. The Marchioness said: "Please pull me up. I fell out of the lift. I thought it was at the floor, but it was away from it."

Dr. Alfred Bakewell Howitt, of Chesham street, the Marchioness's medical attendant, said that he was called in after the accident and found that the Marchioness had broken an ankle, and had bruises on her right wrist, neck and face. She remained in bed, and had three nurses to look after her. She had been failing in health very rapidly during the last six months, and he had told her relatives that he did not think that she would live much longer. Complications followed the accident, and her temperature rose. She gradually became weaker, and died on Friday from bronchitis, following fracture of the ankle.

The Coroner, in recording his verdict, said that no doubt death was accelerated by the shock and exhaustion.

IMPROVING DUBLIN ROADS.

At a meeting of the South Dublin Rural Council held yesterday, Mr. J. J. Ryan, Borough Surveyor, stated in his report that the roads in the Council's district were in fair working order. The following works, financed by the Government grant from the Road Fund, are in progress in the district:—Surface tarring, Chapelizod to Hermitage, £609 11s. 8d.; surface tarring, Terenure to Embankment, £2,215; surface tarring, Donnybrook to Nutley, £193 1s.; surface tarring, Inchicore to Kingswood, £650 13s. 4d.

Having represented the Edgbaston Division of Birmingham in Parliament for twenty-eight years, Sir Francis Lowe will retire at the dissolution of the present Parliament.

FRANC FALLS AGAIN.

BAD PRESS FOR M. HERRIOT.

MAY FAIL TO GET A MAJORITY.

"A SAD BUSINESS."

FROM "THE TIMES" CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, *Tuesday*.

A CABINET Council was held this afternoon. It was reported that M. de Monzie presented his resignation at the meeting because his colleagues would not agree that he should have "special powers" to deal with the financial situation, but withdrew it on pressure from his colleagues. M. de Monzie afterwards issued a formal denial of this report.

Meanwhile it may be confidently asserted that no new Government in France has ever had a worse "Press" than has that of M. Herriot to-day. This attitude, varying between violent disapproval and despairing hope, was promptly reflected by exchange, which fell 15½ points to 240.25, though it recovered a couple of points later.

The attacks on M. Herriot are manifold in number, and, naturally, not all of the same importance. Until a change comes over the spirit of French politicians, even the dissolution for which certain quarters clamour would produce merely another Chamber of the same kind.

FRANCS A PENNY EACH.

The franc fell to 240 to the £ in London yesterday, but later improved to 238½.

The fall of the franc in New York to 1.95½ cents, the lowest in its history, was considered to be responsible for the heavy sales of stock in Wall street yesterday, says Reuter.

The saddest part of all this sad business is the inability of the parties in the Chamber to realise that their duty to the country in this crisis is not to "dish" their political opponents, but to unite under the guidance of those who understand economic questions in facing economic facts.

CHANCES OF A MAJORITY.

The chances of the new Government's obtaining a trustworthy majority in the Chamber are, at the best, extremely doubtful.

In Parliamentary circles last night few persons were ready to predict that the Government would survive its first appearance in the Chamber for many days. To-day there is a slightly more reserved estimate of the situation, and the possibility is recognised that if M. Herriot receives the full support of the Socialist-Radical and Socialist groups, which is not certain in either case, he may get a small majority on the first vote of confidence.

The total vote of the two groups is about 240, and the Government will obtain other votes from the Painlevé group, the Loucheur group, and a few from the Centre.

It is generally agreed that even if the Government obtains a majority at first it may very rapidly lose it if the franc falls heavily, or if the financial measures proposed are not at the same time drastic and acceptable.

MEXICAN BOYCOTT.

REPLY TO REGULATIONS AGAINST RELIGION.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
MEXICO CITY, *Tuesday*.

Following the enforcement by the Government of decrees against all forms of religion, the Catholics are retaliating with a boycott, which is intended to paralyse all business life.

The plan of the Roman Catholics to show their opposition to the new religious regulations, which come into effect on August 31st, is to cause an "intense economic crisis" throughout the nation.

The National League for the Defence of Religious Freedom has issued a circular calling upon Mexicans to—

Refrain from attending public and private amusements,
Avoid the use of vehicles,
Use a minimum of electricity,
Buy only the necessary commodities,
Refuse to send their children to public schools,

and to become propagandists for a general economic and social boycott of the supporters of the programme of the Government.

WHAT IS THE NATIONAL ANTHEM?

In Dail Eireann yesterday, Mr. O. Esmonde put the following question to the Minister for Defence—Whether he is aware that at two recent State functions Army bands have played two different tunes purporting to be the National Anthem, and that the prevalent uncertainty in this matter is often a cause of confusion and irritation, particularly in connection with international sporting events, and whether he will state what is the National Anthem, or, if the matter is not finally settled, what tune should be provisionally accepted as such, pending a final decision?

The Minister for Defence replied—I am not aware that at recent State functions Army bands have played two different tunes purporting to be the National Anthem.

Mr. Esmonde asked if the Minister would state, so far as the Army was concerned, what was considered to be the National Anthem.

Mr. Johnson—What is the name of the National Anthem?

Mr. Hughes—"The Soldiers' Song." (Laughter.)

FORMER LORD MAYOR SENT TO JAIL.

The trial of ex-Alderman Herbert Morris Trotter, a former Lord Mayor of Bradford, concluded at the Leeds Assizes yesterday. There were seventeen indictments of false pretences and thefts in connection with Corporation property in 1923-24. He was found guilty on nine counts of the indictment and not guilty on seven. He was sentenced to six months in the second division.

Matthew Dinsmore (47), of Derry, was injured yesterday through the collapse of the scaffolding on which he was working in Gortnessy Presbyterian Church. Dinsmore was painting the ceiling of the church at the time.

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LETTER DELIVERIES IN PORTADOWN.

COMPLAINTS OF DELAY.

At a meeting of the Portadown Chamber of Commerce on Monday evening a complaint was made regarding the irregularity of postal deliveries and the consequent inconvenience caused to manufacturers and merchants.

Mr. D. W. Thornton said that the English mails were not delivered till six o'clock in the evening, when they could not be dealt with that night. He suggested that a letter be sent from the Chamber asking the Postmaster to have the letters delivered earlier.

Mr. S. Lutton said that occasionally some of the English letters were delivered at about 12 noon.

The Chairman (Mr. W. M. Clow, J.P.) said that it was a question of when they arrived in Portadown. The English mail train had not brought the English letters regularly of late. Sometimes they came by the second Dublin train, and were delivered between 12 and 1 o'clock. The letters delivered at 6 o'clock were posted so late in England and Scotland that they could not catch the mail, and came by a different route.

Mr. J. Logan complained of the irregularity in the delivery of letters from the South of Ireland and some parts of the North. He recently received letters three days after they had been posted in Strabane. They contained orders for goods required for the show, and he had read the report of the show in the newspapers before he received the letters.

The Secretary (Mr. A. Lewis) said that the Urban Council recently agreed to a request that the local postmen be given a half-holiday on Thursdays, and now when a person wanted an urgent letter he had to go down to the Post Office and pay a fee of threepence to get it. Letters at the Post Office should be available for anybody who took the trouble to go for them.

The Chairman remarked that there was considerable uncertainty as to whether letters posted outside the General Post Office at 8.30 left Portadown that night, and it would be well to have an understanding about it.

Mr. J. Dawson, J.P., observed that it would be well if the Post Office could have opposition such as the railway companies were experiencing at present.

Messrs. Thornton and Logan were deputed to wait on the Postmaster.

INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL-BOYS' ESCAPE

A TRAMP OF THIRTY MILES.

News of the escape of two boys from an industrial school was made known in Waterford yesterday.

Two months ago James Kelly, aged 10, Grady's lane, Waterford, and Michael Howlett, aged 10, Ballygunner, Waterford, were committed to St. Joseph's Industrial School, Clonmel. On Monday they escaped from the school and made their way to Waterford, where Howlett was recaptured. The other boy remains at large.

Howlett yesterday admitted that the escape had been planned by himself and Kelly for some time past. He says that he became acquainted with Kelly a few weeks ago, and they resolved to make their escape. Howlett arranged a system of signs. The idea was to wait until a favourable opportunity presented itself at the change of classes at about 3 p.m., when the customary vigilance of the teachers would be relaxed.

At 3 o'clock on Monday the general entrance door of the institution was left open for a few moments, and when classes were changing both boys slipped from the ranks and disappeared. Their absence was soon discovered, but by this time they had got well away.

Making a detour so as to avoid Clonmel town, they went towards the railway line, along which they walked for several miles. Next they cut across the country, through woods and heavy undergrowth, which tore their clothing and lacerated their faces and hands. Once they were obliged to swim a river. Night coming on, and being much exhausted, and not a little frightened, they lay down in an empty shed.

Resuming their journey at sunrise, they made their way as far as Mooncoin. They were now very hungry, not having had anything to eat since they escaped, and they obtained some breadcrusts from a man who was on his way to Mooncoin.

A short distance outside Mooncoin they obtained a "lift" from a lorry driver, and reached Waterford, where they separated.

Howlett was handed by his brother to the Civic Guards, but Kelly has not been found.

The distance covered by the boys was thirty miles.

THE HOUSING OF EX-SERVICE MEN.

KINSALE COUNCIL'S ACTION.

The following resolution was passed at a recent meeting of the Kinsale Urban District Council:—

Proposed by Mr. J. H. Barry, Chairman, seconded by Mr. E. O'Neill, M.C.C., and resolved unanimously—"That we, the Kinsale Urban District Council, call upon the trustees charged with administering the Irish Land (Provision for Sailors and Soldiers) Act, 1919, to take notice of the delay in connection with the erection of the six cottages promised and sanctioned two years ago for Irish Ex-Service men of this district, and that we strongly urge upon those responsible the necessity of proceeding at once with their erection, not only on account of the fulfilment of the promises made to these Irishmen who fought in the Great War, but also on account of the crying need for houses in this town, and to relieve the distress from unemployment in the district.

"And further, that copies of this resolution be sent to Sir Bryan Mahon, Secretary of the Sailors' and Soldiers' Department, Irish Branch; Colonial Office, Dublin; Senator General Hickie, Sean Prior, T.D., and Captain Redmond, T.D."

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LAND BANK DEBATE.

(Continued from Page 7, Column 1.)

that also could not await the final report of the Commission.

Mr. Blythe said that he had not got the final report, but he had received several interim reports within the last few weeks. He knew a good deal about the National Land Bank himself, apart from what might be in any report, and he was quite satisfied that, whatever functions might have to be carried on, they could not economically transform the Land Bank into a different sort of institution.

With regard to the question of urgency, once the question of the continuance of the bank had been raised in any definite way it would be impossible to get customers to deposit money. The State had an asset of a certain value to sell, and delay would depreciate that, after the question of continuance had been raised. Whatever price they could get now, if they waited six months they would certainly get a less price. To leave the matter in doubt would cause disturbance and anxiety to customers.

AN ACCURATE FORECAST.

Mr. Johnson asked whether the statement made in *Irish Truth* about three weeks ago, outlining the policy now announced as a decision of the Ministry, had been communicated to that journal officially.

Mr. Blythe—It could not have been, because there was not a decision previously.

Mr. Johnson said that what the Minister had now told them was printed in *Irish Truth* a few weeks ago, and because of the Minister's attitude towards that journal it had been discounted. Now it turned out to be the truth.

Mr. Blythe—I did not see it.

Mr. Baxter remarked that when the Banking Commission's report was seen the step might have to be retraced.

Mr. Blythe—I am quite satisfied that whatever sort of institution might have to be set up, it would be as easy, or easier, to set it up from the foundations than to transform the National Land Bank into such an institution.

Mr. Johnson—Is the announcement of the Minister a decision? Has it been signed, sealed and delivered?

Mr. Blythe—It has not been signed, sealed and delivered; but we have intimated to the Bank of Ireland that we accept their offer.

Mr. White—How much is the Government making on the bargain?

Mr. Blythe—I will tell that after it is concluded.

Mr. White—How much is it losing?

Mr. Blythe—Nothing. (Laughter.)

It was decided to discuss the matter further before the adjournment.

POSTPONEMENT SUGGESTED.

Mr. Heffernan submitted a motion in the following terms:—"That the Dail is of opinion that the proposed transfer of the shares in the Land Bank now standing in the name of the Minister of Finance to the Bank of Ireland should not take place pending the final report of the Banking Commission."

"I feel, and we in this party feel," said Mr. Heffernan, "that we cannot let the Minister's statement pass without making a protest against the manner in which the matter has been brought before the House, and against the manner in which the absorption of the National Land Bank by the Bank of Ireland is to take place."

He did not want to say, he continued, that the bargain made by the Minister was not the best possible one that could be made; but, even if it were the best possible bargain, he thought that, in all the circumstances, it would be a service to the State to have the transfer postponed until they had an opportunity of examining relevant facts and the various important questions which the Government's decision might be expected to involve. He believed that the status of the National Land Bank should not be taken as an individual matter, but rather in conjunction with other questions of banking, credit, etc., and, furthermore, that it should not be disposed of by the House until deputies had an opportunity of considering the findings of the Banking Commission.

He understood that the superannuation of the officials was to be two-thirds of the salary they had in the last year of their employment. He saw no reason whatever why the services of the employés of the National Land Bank should not be retained and absorbed by the Bank of Ireland. There would be a feeling of semi-consternation among people who had got advances when they found that the bank had been taken over.

A DISADVANTAGE.

Mr. Baxter, who seconded the motion, said that deputies had been put in a rather difficult position in making a case against the Minister by the way in which the matter had been brought before them, without notice. Was that an indication that the policy of the Executive in the future was to leave to those banking institutions entirely, work of financing whatever concerns required accommodation, or new industries that might now or in the future want assistance by way of credit or otherwise? If that was the policy following on the action of the Executive Council, he certainly felt that the Dail should be given an opportunity of examining it in the full light of all the facts that were available.

He suggested that the House would be acting unwisely in approving the suggestion of the Executive Council. The wisdom of the action of the Minister could only be judged by the light of facts when they saw what were the final recommendations of the Banking Commission as to the duty of the State. He would like to know whether the money subscribed to the Republican loan, becoming repayable next year, had anything to do with the decision of the Minister. Had the outlook of the men who brought the National Land Bank into existence changed, and were they satisfied that the banking institutions were going to do in the future what the National Land Bank was set up to perform for the citizens of the State? Until they had evidence that the policy pointed in that direction they could not be satisfied that it was wise, and he felt, from the very few facts placed before them by the Minister, that they would not be justified in coming to any such conclusion. So far as they could see, they had not sufficient evidence to declare that the Minister had made a good bargain.

WHAT NEXT?

Mr. Johnson said that it seemed to him an extraordinary thing that the Bank of Ireland should have, according to the statement of the Minister, taken the first step in the negotiations for the sale of the National Land Bank. Had anything gone before that? What would be thought if a private banking company offered to buy the Post Office, or the Army, or the telephone service. The Land Bank was a State institution, and it was set up by the Bank of Ireland. Perhaps that bank would like to buy the State itself, as, indeed, they had gone a long way towards it.

Whatever might be the state of the country, the banks always paid large dividends. They had to rely upon the State action, passively if not actively. He asked was there any guarantee against the Bank of Ireland doing for this country what the Bank of England did. He should not be surprised if within the next few years the banking institutions in this country were amalgamated, as happened to the banks in Northern Ireland, that they should become the real governors of this island.

The National Land Bank had not grown to the extent that some of them would have liked, but it was the Government that was responsible largely for that failure. The Minister for Finance was on its board, and there was also a nominee of the Minister. They were given certain privileges and duties, which duties were not done. He wondered whether the bank would not be more effectual in assisting industry and agriculture if the State had given it real encouragement and help.

THE SECOND STEP.

He thought that the Banking Commission's inquiry should have been completed before the Government decided to cut adrift the national banking institution from the control of the State. Was the State taking only the first step, not knowing where the rest of the steps would lead? The Dail should have been informed before that day of the first steps that had been taken. The Government policy seemed to be a definite break from the policy that was outlined in the early stage of the National Land Bank—that was to say that they were abandoning for all time any thought that the State was to control banks or banking policy, and that the banks were to be left henceforward to work their will upon industry and agriculture. The House ought to know from the Minister whether the Government had come to any decision as to the privileges that were to be given to private banks, and particularly to the Bank of Ireland.

LEGALITY QUESTIONED.

Mr. O. Esmonde said that so far as he could see the method adopted by the Minister was illegal and unconstitutional. The Land Bank, so far as he could remember, was the property of the Dail, and not the property of the Minister for Finance. The bank was founded out of the proceeds of the first republican loan. He believed that he was the only private member in the House who had taken part in the campaign for the subscription of that loan in this country; and with the exception of the Minister for Local Government, he was the only member of the House who had taken part in the subscription of the loan in the United States. No person who was interested in the success of that loan ever thought that they were subscribing for the ultimate interests of the Bank of Ireland.

He inquired what was the position of the directors of the National Land Bank under the agreement. Were they to be incorporated in the Board of the Bank of Ireland? He asked also what was the particular position of the Bank of Ireland that gave it a right to make a private offer to the Government for the purchase of that undertaking, which was denied to other banking institutions. Other financial institutions, apparently, had not been informed that the Goverment was willing to sell the National Land Bank. A State perquisite ought to be sold to the highest bidder; and he wondered whether the future Public Accounts Committee would be able to stand over the secret sale of the bank to a private company without any attempt to find whether any better bid could be obtained.

ALLEGED SECRET COUNCIL.

Mr. Wilson, while not suggesting that the sale was not a good one, or that the assets were not well disposed of by the Minister, regretted the sale at this particular time, in view of the fact that the Banking Commission had not reported, and in view of the position of the country in connection with banks generally. The banks in the Free State, he said, were virtually one—they had some kind of secret council which automatically gave the same terms to its customers, and 60 or 70 per cent. of the banks' assets were invested in another country.

He had hoped that something would have evolved from the report of the Banking Commission, so that State Bank might have been used to counter the monstrous charges which the combined banking trust was imposing on the citizens. No business was paying so well as the banks, while industry was supposed to be depressed and agriculture struggling, and nobody seemed to be making money except the gombeen banks.

He was concerned particularly with the case of the customers of the bank, many of them farmers and many creameries, holding, perhaps, too much money on overdrafts, owing too much money to the bank; and he was interested to know whether the Minister had made any attempt to safeguard the interests of those customers.

Mr. Norton said that the most amazing part of the business had been the formal way in which the Minister announced the proposed sale to the Dail, and asked them to agree to the transfer of the State's interest in the Land Bank without any opportunity of perusing the documentary conditions of sale, and without having the final report of the Banking Commission. They were asked to take a step in the dark. He had hoped that the National Land Bank would become an effective curb on the activities of the other banks, and he regarded the action of the Minister as a retrogressive step.

Mr. Nolan (Government Party) suggested that the State would be found to lose to the extent of £500,000 as a result of the Land Commission's taking over the foolish investments made by the Land Bank in other days. Referring to the officials of the Land Bank, Mr. Nolan said that he regretted to says that some of the officials had been anything but helpful to the State in the pre-truce days.

Mr. R. Mulcahy asked if the Minister proposed to introduce legislation, or if he thought that would be necessary, and further if, in view of the long adjournment of the Dail, he were in a position to state that the Banking Commission's report would be issued before November, and if he would say that no action would be taken on the report before it was submitted to the House.

MINISTER'S REPLY.

QUESTION OF INTERIM REPORT.

Mr. Blythe, in his reply, said that a great deal of emphasis had been laid on the fact that the interim report of the Banking Commission was not in the hands of deputies. It had been said that the Government was taking the present action because of the interim report. "That is not correct," he declared. "We are not taking action because there was a positive recommendation."

Action was being taken because there was no recommendations that the National Land Bank could fulfil any new functions or any functions that were not being fulfilled by the other banks. The continuance of the Land Bank was not indicated by a single suggestion of new functions that might be fulfilled by it.

"Although we have not got the final report," he said, "we have got the interim reports of the Banking Commission, and I think the ground has been covered, and the final report will be in the nature of a résumé of the things contained in the interim reports. We do not think it necessary to wait, and we do not hesitate to conclude the bargain that is in the interest of the State."

The Government, he continued, certainly did not desire a big State bank organisation on the lines of the National Land Bank. He had no hesitation in saying that might be the circumstances in other countries, but the National Land Bank could not be successfully carried on. People who did not get the accommodation they thought they should get from the Land Bank were continually coming to Ministers and attempting to exercise political pressure. If the institution were a bigger bank the position would be worse. As a matter of fact, the recommendation of the League of Nations Committee on Central Banks was that such banks should be free from political control.

If the National Land Bank were going to be a State Bank it would be necessary for the Government to dispose of the kind of control it had at present. Banking was not a business that could be conducted by people who had political responsibility. Deputy Johnson had suggested that the tendency of banks to amalgamate would result in banks being swallowed up by institutions outside the country. He did not agree. As a matter of fact one bank outside the Free State made it its business to set about disposing of all its branches in the Free State.

HELP FOR INDUSTRY.

"There is no intention of cutting ourselves off from any idea of helping industry, or concerning ourselves with credit. I believe that before very long, as a result of the Banking Commision, we will be able to make proposals to the Dail both for agriculture and long credit and credit for industry."

The Government did not gain anything by keeping the National Land Bank, which was not able to do anything for credit, because it could not get the resources. Very little public money came into the Land Bank, and at one stage the bank hardly could have carried on but that the funds of the White Cross came along. Since then every effort, where possible, had been made to transfer Government moneys to the Land Bank, and it was always difficult to have the money available when it was wanted. The Land Bank did nothing in the way of reducing rates of interest. It was a small bank that had to carry on in the same manner as the other banks. It had, no doubt, the germ of growth in it. Also it did something to prevent a national struggle from developing into a land war.

The interests of customers were protected as well as the interests of the staff. It was hoped to continue the present directors in office for another year towards securing that end, and thereafter the engagements entered into with customers would be continued, and they (customers) would have the accommodation from the Bank of Ireland that they had from the Land Bank in the past, and they would not be subjected to any pressure that they would not have been subjected to if the change had not taken place.

The Government's liabilities were limited to £13,000, and he did not think that they would amount to that. With regard to the question of introducing legislation, there was power under the Dail Eireann Loans and Funds Act to dispose of the Government's shares in the Land Bank so that legislation would not be necessary as the result of the transfer.

COMMISSION'S RECOMMENDATIONS.

The report of the Banking Commission would certainly be submitted to the Dail, and no action on the report would be possible before the Dail reassembled. So far as he had looked through the interim reports, it seemed to him that in all cases legislation would be necessary to give effect to them. As to the suggestion that in proportion to the price to be received for it the Land Bank was a valuable asset, that was nonsense.

THE DIVISION.

Deputy Heffernan was about to wind up the debate and other deputies seemed to be desirous of obtaining further information from the Minister, when Mr. Blythe moved "That the question be now put." This was challenged by the Farmers' Party.

On a division the motion was passed by 32 votes to 18.

The main question was then put—that the proposed sale and transfer of the shares should not be proceeded with pending the publication of the report of the Banking Commission, and this was lost, the voting being 18 for and 32 against.

The voting for this latter motion was:—

For—Messrs. Baxter, Butler, John Conlan, Esmonde, J. Cosgrave, Johnson, Clancy, Wilson, Nagle, Norton, T. J. O'Connell, Donovan, M. Doyle, Heffernan, Morrissey, P. Hogan (Clare), P. Hogan (Limerick), and Wall—18.

Against—Alton, Blythe, Wolfe, Bulfin, Burke, Cole, Cooper, Mrs. O'Driscoll, Hewat, McCurtin, McFadden, McGilligan, Nicholls, Sears, McGoldrick, Myles, Nally, Nolan, Noonan, P. Hughes, A. Byrne, Broderick, O'Connor, P. S. Doyle, Duffy, Duggan, Lavin, Mulcahy, J. Murphy, O'Sullivan, Prior, Thrift.

The Dail adjourned at 10.47 until 3 o'clock to-day.

ARSON CHARGE.

STORY OF MAN WHO SMOKED WHILE HOUSE BURNED.

In the Central Criminal Court yesterday.

The trial was begun yesterday of Patrick Daly, who is charged with having on the 17th December, 1925, set fire to his dwelling-house and farm building at Knockannish, Spa, near Tralee, Co. Kerry, with intent to defraud.

Opening the case, Mr. Carrigan said that an award of over £1,000 compensation in respect of the burning was made by the Circuit Court Judge for Kerry in January of this year, but a prosecution was instituted shortly afterwards. The house was purchased about 20 years ago by Father Foley (brother of prisoner's wife), who was ministering in Scotland. His idea was to rehabilitate certain members of his family, but those who took possession were evicted in 1911. Under a sort of Kerry treaty the prisoner and his wife in some strange vague way bought the place. When the Civic Guard went to the fire they found the accused man smoking his pipe and looking on at the destruction of his property. He did not lift a hand for the couple of hours the guards were present.

COMPENSATION AWARD.

He claimed £2,500 compensation, and the judge awarded £1,053 10s. The award was made on a Saturday, but on the following Monday the judge directed that an appeal be lodged against his decree.

Detective Sergeant Patrick Kirwan, Kerry, said that when he arrived at the fire he saw the accused standing in the lawn in front of the house, with his arms folded.

Chief Superintendent Clinton, Civic Guard, Kerry, gave evidence that the accused admitted that he had the place insured for over £4,000 since about a month before the fire. A number of decrees had been granted against the accused, and three days before the fire the Sheriff had visited the place.

Mr. O'Donnell asked for a direction for an acquittal, saying that there was no evidence against the accused. Father Foley, who was the sole owner, was a joint applicant with the accused for compensation.

The further hearing was adjourned till to-day.

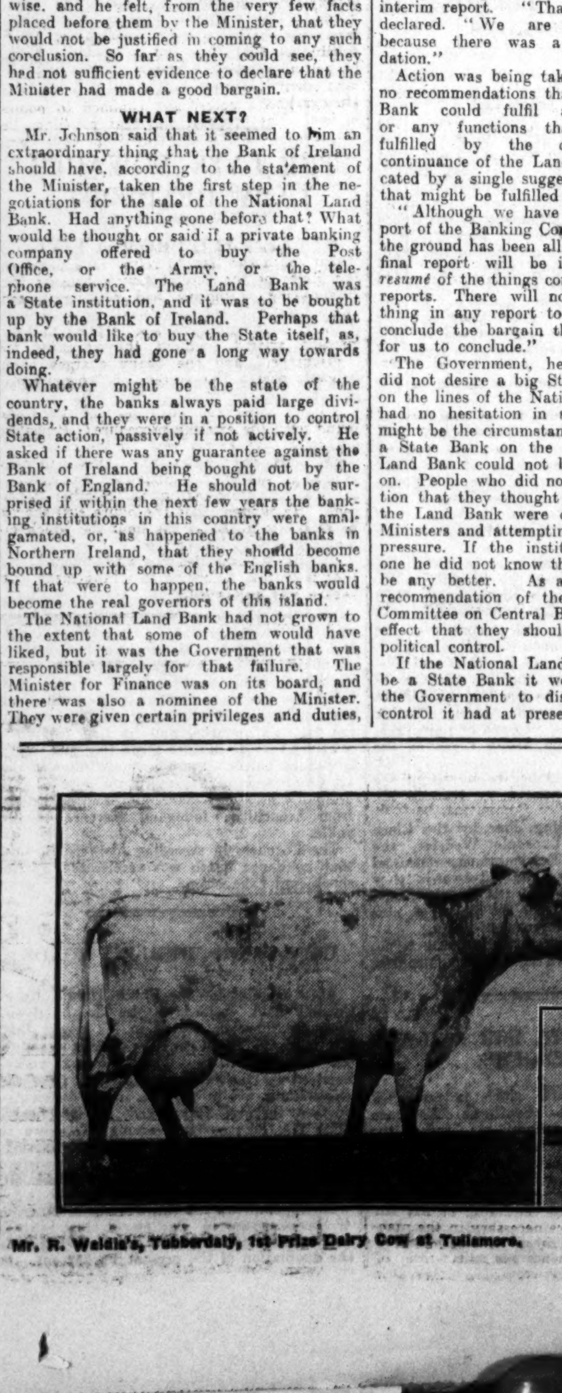
PASSENGERS PER B. AND I. STEAMER, VIA LIVERPOOL.

ARRIVALS—Lord Rathdonnell, Sir Valentine Grace, T. Scally, R. Kennedy, T. Lamb, J. Cuthbert, R. Dale, J. Stewart, the Rev. J. C. Foley, Sister Vincent, Miss Vickery, Miss Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. O'Dowd, Miss M. A. Kelly, Miss S. Lee, T. Keating, Miss O'Doherty.

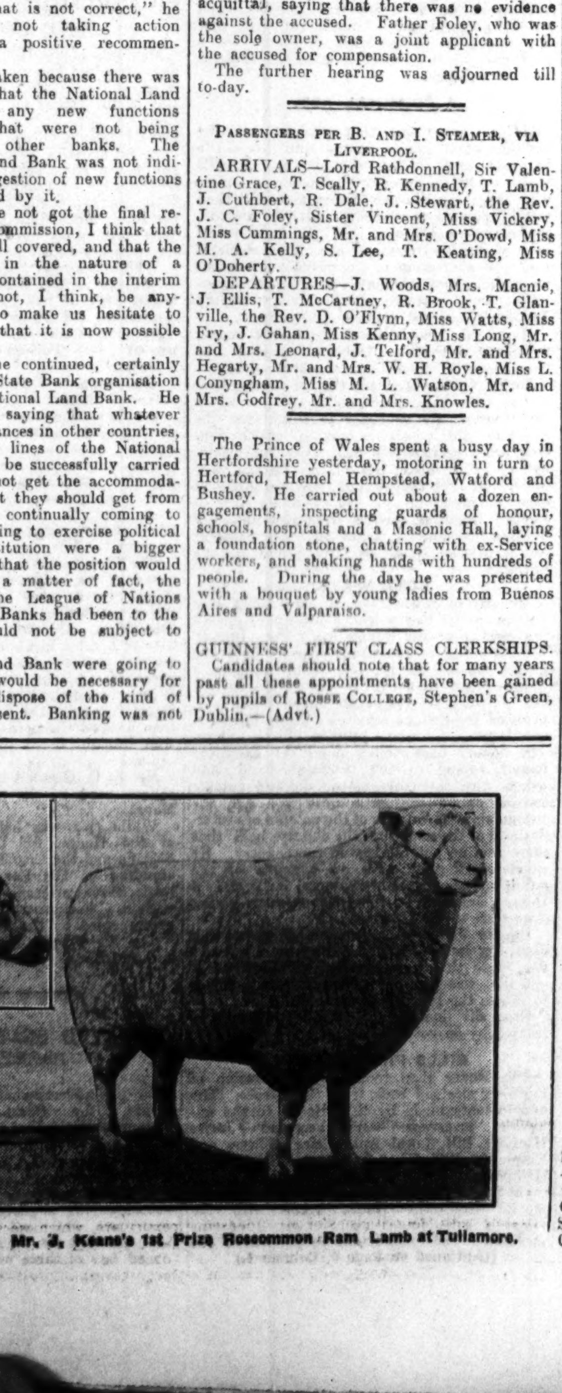
DEPARTURES—J. Woods, Mrs. Macnie, J. Ellis, T. McCartney, R. Brook, T. Glanville, the Rev. D. O'Flynn, Miss Watts, Miss Fry, J. Gahan, Miss Kenny, Miss Long, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard, J. Telford, Mr. and Mrs. Hegarty, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Royle, Miss L. Conyngham, Miss M. L. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey, Mr. and Mrs. Knowles.

The Prince of Wales spent a busy day in Hertfordshire yesterday, motoring in turn to Hertford, Hemel Hempstead, Watford and Bushey. He carried out about a dozen engagements, inspecting guards of honour, schools, hospitals and a Masonic Hall, laying a foundation stone, chatting with ex-Service workers, and shaking hands with hundreds of people. During the day he was presented with a bouquet by young ladies from Buenos Aires and Valparaiso.

GUINNESS' FIRST CLASS CLERKSHIPS. Candidates should know that for many years the largest number of appointments have been gained by pupils of ROSS COLLEGE, Stephen's Green, Dublin.—(Advt.)



Mr. K. Welsh's, Tubbercurry, 1st Prize Dairy Cow at Tullamore.



Mr. J. Keane's 1st Prize Roscommon Ram Lamb at Tullamore.

U.S. MARKETS.

STOCKS CLOSED HEAVY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, Tuesday.

Stocks opened irregular, and became weak under heavy selling for both accounts. Money remained easy, and in the absence of adverse domestic news, traders were inclined to attribute the reaction to uneasiness over the French situation. Francs reached a new low level, and bankers reported heavy buying of American securities lately for French account. General Motors were under pressure, due to rumours that its leading supporter had switched operations to Hudson Motors, which gained 4 points. The reactionary tendency increased in the early afternoon, when trading broadened, and Motors, Rails, Industrials, Oils and specialities became acutely weak, the losses ranging from 1 to 10 points. Covering brought partial rallies in the last hour, but the undertone remained unsettled, and the market closed heavy. Government Bonds easy; Railroad Bonds easy. The day's sales totalled 2,010,000 shares. Money on call closed easy at 4 per cent. bid and 4¼ per cent. asked. All business was done at 4 per cent. Sterling exchange irregular; silver ⅜c. lower at 64¼c.

	Tues	Mon
Call Money	4b. 4⅛a.	4b. 4⅛a
Exchange on Lon 60 days sight	4.83⅛	4.82
Do. do. Demand Bills	4.86	4.86
Cable Transfers	4.86¼	4.86¼
Do. Montreal	4.85¾	4.85⅞
Exchange Paris, cable	1.96	2.15¼

Eng. Parity.	Stocks.	Closing Bid Prices. Tues	Business Done. Mon
105⅛	U.S. Funded	102¾	102¾
140½	Atchison, Topeka, Santa Fe	136⅜	136¾
101½	Do. Pref.	98¾	98½
98⅛	Baltimore and Ohio	96	95½
167½	Canadian Pacific	163	163¾
11⅛	Chicago, Milwaukee, & St. Paul	11	10⅞
71⅛	Chicago and North-West	70	70⅝
36⅛	Erie Shares	35⅛	35⅛
45¾	Erie 1st Preferred	44⅞	44¾
124⅞	Illinois Central	121½	121⅜
135½	Louisville and Nashville	131½	131
38	Missouri, Kansas, and Texas	37	37
[illegible]	Missouri Pacific New	38⅛	39*
134⅞	New York C'tral & Hudson R.	130⅛	131⅞
157¾	Norfolk and West Com.	151	151
73¾	Northern Pacific Com.	71¾	72⅞
55¼	Pennsylvania Shares	54	54⅞
98⅛	Reading Shares	96	96⅛
41⅞	Do. Pref.	40¾	40¾
120⅛	Southern Railway	116⅞	117
108⅛	Southern Pacific	105¾	106¾
157⅛	Union Pacific	152⅞	153
81⅛	Do. Pref.	79⅛	79
137⅞	American Smelt. and Refining	134	133¾
51⅞	Anaconda Copper	49¾	49⅞
22⅞	Brit.-American Tobacco Coupon	22¾	22¾
104⅛	New York Consolidated Gas	102	107⅞
359⅛	General Electric	350	360
160⅛	National Lead	156½	161
145⅛	United States Steel Common	142	144⅛
132⅛	Do. Pref.	129	[illegible]
48	Bethlehem Steel Com. Stock	44¾	45⅞
171⅜	General Motors (New)	166¾	168⅜
7⅛	Inter. Mer. Marine Com. Certs.	7	7⅛
32⅞	Do. Pref. Certs.	32	31
42⅞	Shell Ordinary	41⅛	41⅝
69½	Pan-American Petroleum "B"	67⅞	69⅞
18	Anglo-American Oil	17¾	17⅛
28¾	Shell Union Oil Corp.	28	27⅞
60⅞	U.S. Rubber	58⅛	59
58⅛	American Can. (New Stock)	57⅞	58⅛
33½	International Pet. of Canada	32¾	32⅞
—	Silver Commercial Bars	64¾	64⅞
	BONDS.		
95⅛	Atch. Top. New 4% Gen. Mort	92½	92¼
74	Erie Rail. Gen. 4% Lien Bonds	72	72¾
96¾	Union Pacific 4% Bonds	94⅛	94
108⅜	U.S. Steel 2nd Mort. 5% Bonds	105⅝	105⅝
122	U.K. 5½ per cent. Bonds, 1929	118¾	118⅜
107⅞	Do. Do. 1937	105	104⅞
108¾	7 per cent. German Loan	105⅜	103½

* Asked; † Ex div.; ‡ Ex interest; § Ex rights.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKETS.

WHEAT easy, 1⅜c. to 4⅛c. down.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
No. 2 Hard Winter, spot	161⅜	163¾
No. 2 Red Winter, spot, new	158⅜	160¾
No. 2 Mixed Durum, spot	161½	166¾
No. 1 Northern Manitoba, spot	178	181⅜

RYE easy and 1⅜c. down. No. 2 spot, 119.

BARLEY steady and unchanged. American malting, 77.

MAIZE firm and 1½c. up.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Western No. 2 mixed spot	98½	97⅞

LARD barely steady and 20 points lower. Prime Western steam, 16.30; Middle West, 16.10 to 16.20.

FLOUR steady, 25 points down to unchanged. Spring clears, 100 per cent., 7.75 to 8.25.

PETROLEUM steady.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Standard White in cases	18.90	18.90
Standard White in barrels	15.50	15.50
Do. Philadelphia	15.50	15.50
Mid-Continent Crude	33-33.9	33-33.9
Pennsylvania Crude	2.85-3.40	2.85-3.40

COFFEE opened easy, 4 to 21 points lower. The market closed easy, 16 to 36 points down. Spot steady and unchanged for Rio No. 7, and ⅛c. up for Santos No. 4. Rio No. 7 spot, 20; Santos, No. 4 spot, 22⅛.

Options—	July	Sept.	Dec.	Jan.	Mar.	May
To-day	18.63	17.65	16.80	16.50	16.20	15.82
	July, 1927—15.62					
Prev. day	18.79	17.93	17.10	16.80	16.56	16.15

SUGAR easy, 2 to 4 points down. Centrifugal Cuban spot steady, 3 points up; 96 test centrifugal Cuban, 4.14. Approximate day's sales—35,000 tons.

Options—	July	Sept.	Dec.	Jan.	Mar.	May.
To-day	2.33	2.40	2.58	2.62	2.64	2.73
Prev. day	2.35	2.43	2.62	2.65	2.67	2.76

BURLAPS quiet. Hessian cloth, light-weight, 7.05; heavy-weight, 8.85.

RUBBER quiet, but steady. First latex crepe, spot buyers 40⅞; smoked ribbed sheets, spot buyers 40⅞, sellers 41⅛; August-September, 41⅛ buyers; October-November-December, 42⅛ buyers, 42⅝ sellers.

METALS—Tin steady, 12½ to 25 points up. Spot, 63.75; future option, 63.37½. Tin Plates, 5.50. Lead steady and unaltered, 8.50. Zinc steady and unaltered. East St. Louis spot, 7.50. Iron steady and without alteration. No. 2 American Northern Foundry, 19.00 to 20.50. Electrolytic Copper steady and unchanged.

WINNIPEG GRAINS.

WHEAT opened easy, ⅛c. to ⅜c. lower, and closed barely steady, 3⅛c. to 2⅛c. down. Opening options—July, 162; October, 146; December, 143⅞. Closing options—July, 159; October, 143⅛; December, 141⅞. Rye easy, 2c. to 1½c. down. Closing options—July, 105; October, 107⅞. Oats steady, ⅛c. to ⅜c. lower. Closing options—July, 58⅛; October, 47⅛. Barley steady and ⅛c. down. Closing options—July, 64⅞; October, 63⅞. Flaxseed barely steady, 2c. to 2⅛c. lower. Closing options—July, 209½; October, 214.

Wheat receipts (carlots)	To-day.	Prev. day.
No. 1 Northern	48	29
No. 2 Northern	55	31
No. 3 Northern	42	22
No. 4 Northern	11	4
Other grades	90	47
Total	246	133

NEW YORK COTTON.

COTTON opened steady, but 6 to 8 points down, early recessions being due to disappointing cable advices, selling by foreign interests, favourable official weather reports and liquidation. The market rallied, however, and the closing was steady, 8 to 5 points up. Spot steady, 10 points dearer.

The Gosho Company estimate the crop condition at 73.0 per cent. Fossicks Bureau estimate the condition at 71.8 per cent. and the crop 14,900,000 bales.

Spot, middling upland at New York, 18.50.

Spot, middling upland at New Orleans, 18.13.

Receipts—Atlantic ports, 2,000 bales; Gulf, 4,000; interior towns, 2,000. Exports—Continent, 3,000; Japan, 2,000.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Tuesday.

WHEAT opened easy, ⅜c. to ⅜c. lower. General liquidation took place due to advices of rains in North Dakota and Canada, predictions of lower temperatures in the spring wheat belt, heavy primary receipts and the higher average of the acreage yield in the South-West. The market closed easy, 3⅛c. to 2⅛c. down. Spot easy.

	To-day	Prev. day.
No. 2 Hard Winter spot	135¾	—
No. 3 Hard Winter spot	—	—

Futures—Opening options—	July	Sept.	Dec.
To-day	145⅛	145½	148⅞
Prev. day	144⅞	144⅞	148⅛

Futures—Closing options—	July	Sept.	Dec.
To-day	142⅛	143¾	147¾
Prev. day	145¾	146	149⅛

MAIZE commenced steady, ⅛c. to ⅛c. up, closing with values ⅜c. to 1⅛c. up.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Spot No. 2 mixed	85	83⅜

Futures—Opening options—	July	Sept.	Dec.
To-day	—	85½	87¼
Prev. day		83¾	84⅜

Futures—Closing options—	July	Sept.	Dec.
To-day	81	86⅛	88
Prev. day	85⅛	85¼	86⅜

OATS easy, ⅜c. to ⅛c. down.

Futures—Closing options—	July	Sept.	Dec.
To-day	40¼	42⅜	45⅛
Prev. day	40⅜	43	45⅝

RYE easy, ⅜c. to 2c. down. No. 2 spot unquoted.

Futures—Closing options—	July	Sept.	Dec.
To-day	106⅞	108	112¾
Prev. day	107	109⅞	114⅜

PROVISIONS at the opening ruled barely steady, and prices declined owing to the increased stocks, a slow cash inquiry and liquidation. Stop loss orders were uncovered, and the easiness of hogs induced selling by packers, the market closing easy, with lard futures 27½ to 7½ points and spot 22½ points lower. Ribs are 10 to 45 points down. Lard—Spot, 15.55.

Lard—Closing options—	Sept.	Oct.	Jan.
To-day	15.70	15.70	14.27½
Prev. day	15.95	15.97½	14.35

Ribs—Closing options—	July	Sept.	Oct.
To-day	16.75	16.15	—
Prev. day	16.85	16.60	—

BACON barely steady at 25 points reduction. Short ribbed sides (60lbs. average), 16.75.

HOGS easy, 15 to 10 points lower. Light hogs, 13.60 to 14.40; heavy hogs, 12.60 to 13.65.

	To-day.	Same day last year
Receipts—Western Cities	94,000	71,000
" Chicago	21,000	19,000

NATIONAL BANK CLERKSHIPS.
Exam. announced for 2nd December. Successes last two examinations: March, 1926—15 of 26 vacancies; Oct., 1925—13 of 18 vacancies. Special Oral and Correspondence Classes resume work on 3rd August.—SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 76 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin.—(Advt.)

THE LATE MARQUESS CONYNGHAM'S WILL.

ENGLISH VERSUS IRISH COURTS.

In the Chancery Division, London, yesterday, Mr. Justice Astbury heard a motion brought by the Earl of Mount Charles (son of the present Marquess Conyngham), an infant appearing by his next friend, for an injunction restraining Mr. Herbert Scawen Blunt, one of the trustees of the will of the late Marquess, from taking action in the Irish Free State Courts for the determination of certain questions which were to be tried in a pending action before the English Courts, and from seeking any relief there in respect of the administration of the testator's estates.

Mr. Mongham, K.C., who represented the plaintiff, said that the late Marquess, whose will was dated April 11, 1915, and who died on November 8, 1918, was domiciled in Ireland. The plaintiff was born on March 13, 1921, and became tenant in tail of the English and Irish estates, in possession. The property included Slane Castle, County Meath, but the will provided that the Dowager Marchioness should have the use and occupation of the Castle for life. After the plaintiff's birth inquiries were made as to what income there was for him, with the result that the present action was started. An application was then made by the defence to dismiss the action, on the ground that it would be more convenient to have the questions raised determined in the Free State Courts, but it was held that there was no question that could not be determined here. Some £90,000 worth of the Irish estates had been sold, and only a small revenue was left, there being some difficulty, apparently, in collecting the rents. Mr. Blunt had gone to Ireland to resuscitate an extinct action, and there applied for leave to take proceedings, so as to raise questions that were to be dealt with here. Counsel submitted that it was not right for him to steal a march on the English Courts, in the hope that the Irish Courts would decide something beforehand.

His lordship said that it appeared to him that what Mr. Blunt had done was in breach of what had been done here, and to which he was a party.

Mr. Luxemoore, K.C., for Mr. Blunt, submitted that Mr. Blunt was entitled to go to the Irish Courts to have questions dealt with over which those Courts had jurisdiction. He was not asking those Courts to interfere with matters before his lordship, and he wished to treat this Court with every possible respect. Mr. Blunt was not asking for administration in Ireland, but Ireland was the proper place for dealing with questions relating to the testator's Irish estates.

After some discussion it was agreed that any action in the Irish Courts should be discontinued pending the hearing of the action here.

DUBLIN SHIPPING REPORT.

Barometer at 5 p.m.—29.80.

Foreign Arrival.—Ss. Trito, of Rotterdam, 373 tons register (Captain Boll), from Rotterdam, with a general cargo (discharging at Transit Sheds, North Wall Extension).

Coastwise Arrivals.—Ss. King Orry, from Douglas, with passengers; ss. Lady Limerick, from Liverpool, with passengers and goods; ss. Puma, from Glasgow, with passengers and goods; ss. Brier, from Heysham, with passengers and goods; ss. Slieve Donard, ss. Slievemore, from Holyhead, with goods; ss. Lady Wicklow, from Manchester, with goods; ss. Lady Brussels, from Preston, with goods.

Foreign Departures.—Ss. Mount Evans, of Portland (Oregon) 3,903 tons register (Captain Wightwick), for Avonmouth, with part cargo (general); ss. The Marquis of Glasgow, 354 tons register (Captain Caskil), for Ghent, light; ss. Chertsey, of London, 2,357 tons register (Captain Johnson), for Rotterdam, light; ss. Desia, of Hamburg, 265 tons register (Captain Nagel), for Dover (for orders), light.

Coastwise Departures.—Ss. King Orry, for Douglas, with passengers; ss. Lady Limerick, for Liverpool, with passengers and goods; ss. Brier, for Heysham, with passengers and goods; ss. Lady Patricia, for London, with goods; ss. Slieve Donard, ss. Slievemore, for Holyhead, with goods; ss. Plasma, for Portsmouth, light; Bernard (ketch), for Bridgwater, light; Mary Ann (smack), for Courtown (Wexford), light; ss. Golden News (drifter), for fishing grounds, light; ss. Boy Charles (drifter), for fishing grounds, light; ss. Animation (drifter), for fishing grounds, light.

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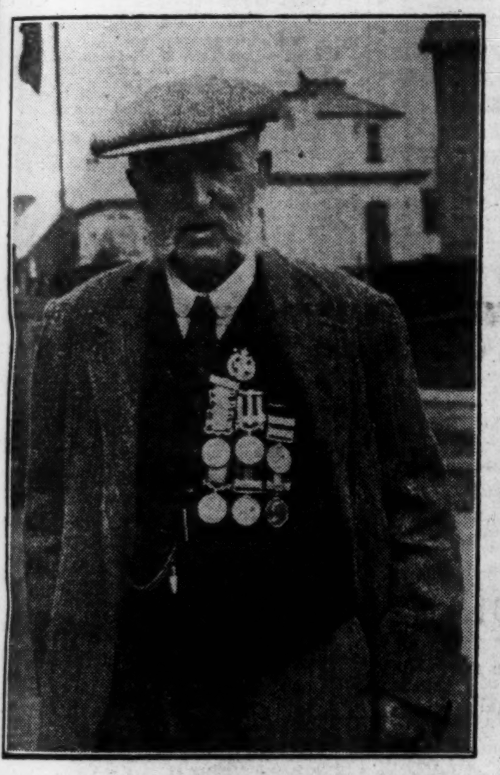
Mr. W. A. Cumming, of Inverness, judging the Sheep at the Banbridge Farming Society Show.



Mr. James Hewitt, one of the survivors of the Light Brigade, who died at Portrush, aged 94.

Lady Nutting, Mrs. F. B. Homan Mulock, Mr. G. S. McCann, Mr. F. B. Homan Mulock, Mr. B. G. Clibborn, and Master Clibborn, at the Tullamore Show.

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NEW PATENTS BILL.

(Continued from Page 7, Column 4.)

Tariff Commission shall have power to inquire into applications for the abolition of any particular tariff or tariffs.

The Dail accepted the alteration.

Several amendments to the Betting Bill added by the Senate were accepted. One, which was inserted on the proposal of the Minister for Finance, limits the operation of the Act to two years.

Mr. Blythe said that with the experience gained during two years they could, if necessary, consider fresh proposals.

MARRIED MEN FIRST.

Mr. W. Norton moved that the condition that preference must be given to ex-National Army men which is attached to State grants for road and relief schemes should be discontinued forthwith, so as to allow local authorities to give a preference to unemployed men with dependents, whether or not they have served in the National Army.

He explained that he had no hostility to ex-Service men, but he thought that men with dependents who had not served in the Army ought to get the preference before men who had no dependents.

Mr. Burke, Minister for Local Government, said that the rule as to first preference to ex-Army men was gradually being relaxed, and that non-Service men were being employed wherever it was possible.

Mr. Johnson seconded the motion, and said that he had no objection to preference being given to ex-National Army men who had wives and children depending on them, but he urged that second preference should be given to non-Service men with families over ex-Service men who had no dependents.

After some remarks by Mr. McGilligan, the motion was, by leave, withdrawn

RULES OF COURT.

RESOLUTION OF APPROVAL MOVED.

The Minister for Justice moved a resolution approving the Rules of Court made for the High Court and Supreme Court. He said that new rules had been provided containing detailed proposals for uniformity of practice on all matters, and for expediting proceedings and avoiding unnecessary delays. They were to be taken with the provisions of the Courts Officers Act, particularly as to the constitution of a Central Office. They laid down times within which various matters were to be done, and if any party was anxious for an expeditious hearing there was no reason why his case should not be ripe for hearing within one month. Within twenty-one days (instead of within a year) an unsuccessful litigant had to decide whether or not he would appeal against the decision of the Court.

The question of appeals from the Circuit Court was dealt with under Order No. 24. Some inconvenience had been caused by the large number of appeals awaiting hearing—they now numbered about a thousand—and it was hoped that the delegation of certain duties to the Master of the Central Office would ease the situation and allow quicker progress to be made. The shortening of the long vacation would give sixteen additional working days. The scale of fees allowed to solicitors was as nearly as possible the scale in force prior to the rules—the charges fixed in 1905, with an additional 50 per cent

Mr. P. O'Maille, alluding to the provision for service of notices and summonses in the Gaeltacht, said that the Gaeltacht had not yet been defined, and an Act for that purpose would be necessary.

LITIGATION NO CHEAPER.

Mr. Johnson complained that the rules did not fulfil the hope that had been entertained widely that the new Courts system would reduce the cost of litigation. Except with respect to time and the avoidance of delay there was no change in procedure. and it was the procedure that necessitated the great cost on litigants. He understood that the methods they were now asked to confirm, of making applications to the Court on every successive motion and stage of a case, had been, in effect, disused, if not, in fact, abolished in Great Britain for some years past

On points of detail, he mentioned that, as he understood, Free State citizens suing in England were required to give security for costs, but that English firms and persons suing in the Free State Courts were not required to give security. It should be the rule, he urged, that execution should be stayed as a matter of course when an appeal was entered from a decision of the Circuit Court; and it ought not to have to be the subject of a special application for a stay.

Mr. Hewat expressed the hope that the Dail would have an opportunity to review the rules after they had been in operation for a time.

The Speaker said that the Minister for Justice was responsible for the rules, and a motion with regard to them could be made. The Dail could not itself make an amendment, but an amendment could be advocated, and the Minister could begin the process of amending if it seemed good to him and appeared to be the will of the Dail

Mr. Hewat—We should be able to ventilate any grievance felt under the Rules.

The Speaker—It will be possible to do that.

Mr. T. J. O'Connell said that it had been stated that the Rules of the High Court discriminated against the use of the national language. It certainly did seem that the consideration given to Irish speakers was only given to those in the area known as the Gaeltacht, while those outside that area were given no rights in the matter.

SUFFICIENT INTERPRETERS.

Mr. O'Higgins, replying, said that there would always be a sufficient number of interpreters attached to the courts to do the work required. As to the rules governing the use of the national language in the Gaeltacht and the rest of the Saorstat, the underlying idea was the same in each case. Rule 2 referred to the Gaeltacht, and the position outside that area was governed by Rule 3. The underlying idea he would emphasise was the same. It was simply recognised that defendant might have no knowledge of Irish whatever, but if plaintiff wished to start his proceeding in Irish he must be allowed to do so. In the defendant's interests he might provide an English translation, but if he did not defendant would be supplied with an English translation, which translation would be made in the central office.

"Underlying the difference between the two rules there is realism," Mr. O'Higgins declared, "and an appreciation of the difficulties of the position existing at the moment. We have to face the fact that English is widely known and generally spoken in the Saorstat, and even in the Gaeltacht will be found men who know no Irish whatsoever. Take the other position. It is difficult to imagine persons outside the Gaeltacht knowing no English whatsoever. The point is that no practising lawyer in the whole of the Saorstat is in the position that he knows Irish perfectly while he knows no English at all. We have to take the practising barrister as an important—almost a fundamental—factor of the position

"ILLUSORY."

"It is simply illusory to pretend that we can carry on all the work of the court in Irish, even in the Gaeltacht. I put the dilemma like this. It is possible to carry on business in the courts everywhere in English. The justice knows it, the practising lawyer and the clerk, and if the witness does not his lawyer or someone else in the court will certainly know sufficient to act as interpreter.

"We are dealing now with the High Court, and it is admitted straight that there is no absolute equality between the position of Irish in the Gaeltacht and in the rest of the State. These rules are the rules recommended by the committee, and they are put forward in a spirit of friendliness and helpfulness towards the national language. I have no patience whatever with the people who profess to believe that they were framed in a spirit of hostility to or contempt for the national language. The absence of equality arises from recognition of the facts of the position. The rules are not intended as propaganda; they are intended for the administrative convenience of litigants and their professional representatives.

"In the position now as we know it there is no question of any slight on the national language."

AN IMPOSSIBLE TASK.

Dealing with the criticisms of Mr. Johnson, the Minister said that the deputy had complained that the hope had been held out that law would be cheapened and that that hope was not fulfilled. The deputy had talked as of a cumbersome procedure drawn up by trade unionists for prospective litigants. He had not come down to bare facts or pointed to the shortcomings seen by his technical advisers.

"It was not found possible," declared the Minister, "simply to create the millennium and cheap law for the multitude."

"Will that be the millennium?" asked Mr. Johnson, amid laughter.

Continuing, Mr. O'Higgins said that counsel had to get their fees and the State the costs of administration.

With regard to Deputy Johnson's point as to security in non-resident defendant cases, Mr. O'Higgins said that there seemed to be no need for alteration in the rules in that respect, as the procedure was the same in English and Irish Courts.

One or two members were understood to express disagreement, and Mr. Johnson asked whether, if it were found that the procedure was not the same, the Minister would undertake to bring in a new rule.

Mr. O'Higgins replied that he would not give that undertaking, but he would inquire into the advisability of bringing in a new rule.

The motion that the rules for the High Court be approved was then put and declared carried. A division was not challenged.

CIRCUIT COURT.

The Minister for Justice moved the approval of the Rules of the Circuit Court, and said it was expedient that they should come into operation on the 1st October, 1926. He referred to the very wide jurisdiction conferred on the Circuit Court by the Courts of Justice Act, and said that it was necessary in considering this court and this jurisdiction to clear ones mind completely of any fancy analogy between that court and the old County Court, with its very limited jurisdiction.

Under Section 48 of the Courts of Justice Act cases involving a considerable amount of money could be determined by the Circuit Court—up to £300. The Committee, he took it, were influenced by the fact that for all practical purposes this court, in the vast majority of cases, must be deemed to be the final court. The appeal on the stenographer's note from the Circuit Court to the High Court was becoming more and more to be recognised by practitioners, both solicitors and barristers as an appeal on a matter of law, and he thought that it was true to say that the judges of the High Court had made it clear that where the basis of an appeal was a conflict of evidence or a matter of fact the High Court was not prepared to reconsider the decision of the Circuit Court.

As the amount involved in many cases would be considerable, and as the right of appeal must be taken on the stenographer's note of the evidence before the Circuit Court it was necessary to provide machinery, by which the net issue between the parties would be before the court, by which neither party would be taken by surprise as to hearing, to insure that many matters, such as pleadings, discovery of documents, and applications for particulars, which were necessary in the practical procedure of these Circuit Courts, should be available. It was, therefore, of very real and vital interest to a litigant to have all the facts explained to the Circuit Court.

SIMPLE PROCEDURE.

Having dealt with the procedure described in the sections, he said that the procedure, they considered, was as simple as it could be made. On the question of costs, he said that the Committee had not drawn up a detailed scale of costs for the Circuit Court, but it was proposed that the High Court costs, less one-third, would be applicable. This rule would not meet with his approval as a permanent proposal with regard to costs in the Circuit Court, but as a temporary expedient to bridge over the time when proposals as to costs could be put forward he considered it sufficiently good. The reduction of one-third on the High Court costs did not represent entirely the relief to litigants. Considerable relief was involved in the question of witnesses' expenses, which would be very much less by reason of the local venue. It was hoped that a detailed scale of costs would be prepared by the Committee at as early a date as possible, and when prepared it would be brought before the Dail.

They had considerable difficulty in forming a just estimate of the value of pleadings in the Circuit Court, and men of experience had put before them different points of view on the subject. He himself was of opinion that the issue in actions for over £50 should be clearly knit, and that parties should know what case they had to meet before coming into court. The Circuit Court was now practically the final court, when there would be no appeal on matters of fact, and any appeal that might be taken would be based on the stenographer's notes, and confined to points of law. The proposal was that pleadings be dispensed with in such cases, from £50 down, and that they be made necessary in cases from £50 to £300, which was to be the limit of jurisdiction in the Circuit Court.

REJECTION MOVED.

Mr. Thomas Johnson moved an amendment which asked the Dail to refuse to approve of the Rules of the Circuit Court, because the rule-making authority had not formulated rules which would enable all cases to be brought to trial in the simple form that at present existed, without the necessity for "pleadings," and the heavy charges upon litigants which the system of "pleadings" would involve.

What, he asked, were the faults to be found with the existing procedure? Probably not more than 25 per cent. of the cases that were tried were cases that would require pleadings, and it was undesirable to impose an obligation for pleadings on the other 75 per cent. He thought that the figure £50 should be raised to £100, as the limit for which no pleadings would be required

Mr. Baxter seconded the amendment.

At 9 o'clock, according to arrangement, the debate was adjourned.

BRITISH LETTERS PATENT.

APPEAL LODGED AGAINST JUDGMENT.

In the Supreme Court, Dublin, yesterday the recent judgment of Mr. Justice Meredith, in which he decided that patent rights granted in Great Britain to a British firm of manufacturers, did not extend to the Irish Free State, was mentioned by Mr. Marnan, who (instructed by Messrs. Findlater and Co.) had appeared for the planitiffs in the case, in order to have a date fixed for the hearing of an appeal.

The proceedings had been brought by the British Thomson-Houston Company, Ltd., of London, against Messrs. Litton and Co., a Dublin firm, to restrain the defendants, pending the trial of the action, from alleged infringements of their patents in the manufacture and sale of electric lamps and filaments. Mr. Justice Meredith dismissed the application for an interlocutory injunction, holding that the plaintiffs had now no rights under their patents in the Irish Free State. The decision has been the subject of widespread discussion, and the plaintiffs have lodged an appeal.

The Chief Justice said that, in view of the number of appeals that were awaiting hearing, it would be impossible to undertake to give this case a hearing during the present sittings. The rights of the parties had not been determined by the refusal of the interlocutory injunction by Mr. Justice Meredith, and people would act at their own risk in the matter, if they acted at all.

CLARE SILVER MINES.

NEW COMPANY REGISTERED.

A public company has been registered with the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies in Dublin for the development of the Ballybickey lead and silver mines in the County Clare. The nominal capital is £30,000, divided into 25,000 preferred shares of £1 each and 20,000 ordinary shares of 5s. each.

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Mr. Alan Cobham has arrived at Bhawalpur from Karachi, and is expected to reach Delhi to-day, says a Reuter Simla message.

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A PROMISING OUTLOOK.

SOME POINTERS FOR LIVERPOOL.

GAY BIRD UNRELIABLE.

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

LIVERPOOL, Tuesday Night.

Everything is promising for the opening of the summer meeting here to-morrow afternoon. The clerk of the course sets great store by the new methods of irrigating the course, which has been installed, and is confident that no matter what sort of drought may be experienced the Aintree course will always in future afford good going.

It was stated this morning that Solario would be among the runners for the Atlantic Cup on Friday. This is very improbable, as Sir John Rutherford some time ago made up his mind that he would not run anywhere again except at one or other of the Newmarket meetings in the autumn. Colorado has been stuck out of all engagements at the meeting, but Lord Derby has sent both Caissot and Glen Rosa, who are engaged in the St. George Stakes. The latter filly, who has never won a race, claims all the allowances, and I prefer her chance to that of the colt, who might not be good enough to concede 6lb. successfully to Review Order.

Booklet runs for the Manton stable, instead of Lancegaye, and he also claims the allowances, but on none of his performances in public this season can a good chance be given to him. I think the issue rests between Review Order and GLEN ROSA, and that the 19lb. advantage in favour of the filly may enable her to win.

The Molyneux Cup is the most open, as it is the most interesting, event of the afternoon. Scherzo is not likely to run, and this removes a very formidable candidate. Mr. Lambton has sent both Golden Fairy and Herbalist. The former on some of her running has a good chance, but it is said that she has not done well lately, and Herbalist's second to Maralga at Sandown is hardly good enough to make the brother to Phalaros a winner here.

Inca runs here instead of waiting for the Cup on Friday, in which Taylor's only runner will be Sparus, but I do not care for her chance. Monk's Way comes from a stable in great form—Fred Darling's—and it has to be said for him that his second at Ascot to Highborn was a meritorious performance. Compiler and Mermaid are handicapped to an ounce on their Lingfield form, but I slightly prefer the chance of the mare, who was second to Deflation in this race last year, and has only a few pounds more to carry now.

Priory Park may not run, but Cynos, on the same mark in the handicap, must have a chance. Equator ran a good race as a two-year-old on this same course, but he may not be too reliable now. Good chances can be given to both the Irish-trained candidates, Fohanaun and Knocklong Boy. On this side of the Channel both have put up good performances against a great sprinter like Phalaros. The older horse seems the better handicapped here, but Fohanaun, on what he has done with the other two-year-olds in Ireland last year, would seem to have more class on his side.

I believe that Perhaps So is a good deal fancied, and it may be noted that the stable accepted with her instead of Bewitched, whom I thought to be well handicapped. She was fourth in this race last year, and now has 7lb. less to carry, so a bold display may be expected from her. I am inclined to think that the race will be won by one of the three-year-olds, and on what I saw him do at Ascot I give MONK'S WAY a preference over Fohanaun.

The Southport T.Y.O. Plate will produce some fair two-year-olds, and the best of them may be the TETRAGYNIA COLT, who has been well galloped and may beat Chandos.

There is racing at Lanark, also, to-day, where EAGLESHOLT may win the Lowther Handicap, and BEAGLE the Cleghorn Maiden T.Y.O. Plate.

RACING AT LEICESTER.

The racing at Leicester this afternoon was thin stuff, and the Leicestershire Oaks dwindled to a field of three runners, in which odds of 2 to 1 were laid on Lord Astor's Gay Bird. As in the Coronation Stakes, she allowed herself to be beaten, for she began to stop coming up the rise when in the lead, and Donoghue brought Witful, a sister of North Waltham, to run her out of it, and then Skylove, the outsider of the party, came to divide the pair, Witful winning by a head and two lengths.

For the third time in succession, Lady Helen McCalmont's Tetratema colt, Tetra Glass, has finished second. In the Wistow Hall Plate he found one too good for him in Stanley Wootton's filly, Brisena, who beat him by a length and a half, Roman Empire finishing half a length away, third.

Mr. Lowry's Taxing Master started joint favourite for the Evington Plate with Palefroi, but both were beaten by the 100 to 6 chance, Poliwog, trained by De Winton for Sir Ernest Wills. Palefroi dropped back after making the running when they had gone a little more than half-way, and then the Stewards' Cup candidate, Bay Friar, took it up, with Taxing Master second. Poliwog, who had been badly away, made up a lot of ground coming up the hill, and Dines got her up to win a good race by half a length and a neck from Palefroi and Taxing Master.

GALTEE MORE.

FORM HORSES.

LIVERPOOL.

2. 0—Erosion.	3.30—Compiler.
2.30—Golden Flake.	4. 0—Sickle.
3. 0—Review Order*	4.30—Chandos.

LANARK.

2. 0—Forest Monk.	3.30—Pensive filly.
2.30—Glensimmon.	4. 0—Rushaway.
3. 0—The Mahdi.	4.30—Scotch Trout.

Eclipse.

SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

Entries close to-day for the Irish classic races of 1928, viz., the 1,000 Guineas, the 2,000 Guineas, the Derby, the Oaks, and the St. Leger.

Owners and trainers should note that entries must be made to-day for the Phœnix Park Second August, Naas September, and Limerick Junction August meetings.

James Doyle, the Curragh jockey, was twice successful in the saddle at Ayr meeting yesterday.

Bull Bee, a brown colt by Honey Bee—Plunkette, having been sold to the Irish Bloodstock Agency, has left Newmarket for Ireland.

S. Donoghue will have the mount on Sparus for the Liverpool Cup, this being Manton's only representative in the race.

Spearfish will not turn out for the Apprentice Plate at Lanark to-day.

Mr. W. B. Purefoy has bought, on behalf of Mr. A. Bendir, Silver Lark from Mrs. C. L. McKean for 7,000 guineas. The three-year-old son of Silvern and Laverock ran second to Embargo in the Irish Derby.

Solario, engaged in the Atlantic Cup, and Sir Kenneth, engaged in the Liverpool Cup, are doubtful runners at Liverpool. It was originally reported that Solario would meet his engagement.

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CURRAGH TRAINING NOTES.

THE CURRAGH, Tuesday.

A fine morning.

PARKINSON'S Louvixen, Luxmore, and Bawn-na-Glas went a mile and a quarter at a nice pace; Grosvenor's Reward and Grosvenor's Pride traversed six furlongs; Erin Green went a good mile and a quarter; Sprig of Fish, Mariner's Hope, Common Good, Ambrose, Mirabeau, Protectionist, Actuary, Somme Web, Sweet Honey, Athgarret, and others of the string were usefully employed.

DAWSON'S Argentan was sent a sharp six furlongs; Kildarra Boy, Prudent Pat, Rosmeen, Toy Island, and Chicane cantered six furlongs; the remainder of the team had bouts of healthy exercise.

ROGERS'S Vesington Star covered six furlongs at a nice pace; Pursued, Good-Bye, Fitington, Free from Care, Crotanstown, Ballybrophy, Sadir, Yac, White Orb, Moortown, and others were usefully employed.

HARTIGAN'S Athbeg, Actrix, Nantenan, Fedamore, Gainsharp, Loch Hume, and Irish Ben were usefully employed.

FORDRED'S Amatoi, Molloy, Minervus, Muscatel, Coinage, and Geraint went five furlongs at half-speed.

PERRY'S Golden Ina, Silvertown, Blue Look Out, The Kid, and Missed the Train cantered three furlongs.

BRABAZON'S Bachelor's Heir and Hollywood cantered six furlongs; Puffin and Lord Burdon went five furlongs.

DOYLE'S Fariray, Lislea, and Marten's Light went six furlongs usefully; Leonora, Andy, and May Orb cantered five furlongs.

COOMBS'S Belsay Belle and Saorstat traversed a mile at a good pace; others of the team had bouts of healthy exercise.

BEHAN'S Poppy Day, Fair Head, and Peace River cantered five furlongs; West Indies, Buzzing Bee, Vesington Bee, Marsala, Lasso, Suet, White Spear, Parkgate, and River Thames were usefully employed.

W. Howard, the Osborne Lodge jockey, has been engaged to ride Knocklong Boy in the Molyneux Stakes at Liverpool.

SELECTIONS FOR THE CURRAGH—TO-DAY.
Rathbride Plate—LEANDER or ACTUARY.
Brownstown Plate—ATHGARRET.
Irish Oaks—RESPLENDENT.
Curragh Plate—ARGOZONE.
Ballymany Plate—BELSAY BELLE.
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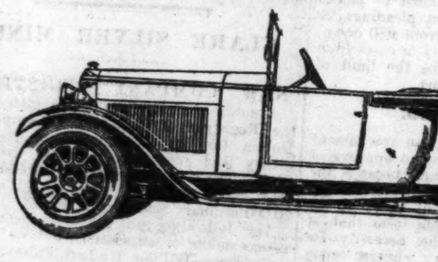

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THE CURRAGH.

RUNNERS SCARCE.

LORD WEMBLEY'S FIFTH.

It can truthfully be said that the sport on the opening day of the July meeting at the Curragh did not come up to expectations. The recent rainfall had taken the "jar" out of the ground, and consequently one might have reasonably looked for at least fair-sized fields at the headquarters of the Irish Turf, where there are so many horses in training; yet the sum total of the runners for the half-dozen races, worth in the aggregate £950, only reached thirty-five. However, if the racing was not unduly exhilarating, the day was beautifully fine, and backers fared very well.

Pink Hawthorn, who, last time out, had finished second to Lord Wembley, from whom she was receiving a lot of weight, went one better in the Scurry Plate, in which she readily disposed of the more fancied Athshannon and five others. The favourite was very quick into his stride and led for nearly five furlongs, but once Pink Hawthorn was given her head she put the issue beyond doubt in a few strides. The odds laid on King's Falloch for the Pollardstown Plate were landed with consummate ease from Saorstat, who was backed with no little confidence to beat him, but Colonel Honner's useful horse had his measure at every stage of the race, which was little more than an exercise canter for the son of King's Ransom. The July Selling Plate proved a more exciting affair, Foretell, well ridden by E. M. Quirke, scoring cleverly by a short head from Scarlet Shrimp, this being her third successive win within a period of ten days.

It was disappointing to find only three runners forthcoming for the principal event of the day, the Drogheda Memorial Stakes, and as a contest it was also disappointing, for neither Nantenan nor Shannon Scheme could get within hail of Lord Wembley, who always commanded the situation and won a fast run race in effortless fashion. Mr. W. A. Wallis's good colt has certainly paid his way this year, yesterday's being his fifth win out of seven starts, and he should do further useful service for his owner-breeder.

The biggest field of the day, eight, went to the post for the Apprentices' Plate, which furnished a rattling set-to, out of which New Barn, served by stronger jockeyship, squeezed home in front of Buchan's Bridge and Sweet Loch Lomond, who dead-heated for second place, but the latter, who was going great guns in the last furlong, was a trifle unlucky not to win. As was presaged in the wagering, the Stand Plate was practically reduced to a match between Fedamore and White Coral, and Joseph Canty, on the former, had to put in some of his best work before gaining the fiat by a narrow margin. Details:—

2.15—SCURRY PLATE of 200 sovs., of which the second receives 20 sovs. and the third 10 sovs. A handicap. 6 f. 63 yds.
Mr. J. T. Rogers's br. f. PINK HAWTHORN, by By George!—Queen of the Hawthorns, 3, 7-9 ....W. Hamill 1
Mr. J. C. Galstaun's ATHSHANNON, 3, 8-3 John Doyle 2
Mrs. J. H. C. Bartholomew's BUFFOON, a, 6-9 (car. 6-12) ....Jos. Hunter 3
Mrs. T. Coombs's Ceylonese, a, 9-0 Jos. Fitzgerald 0
Mr. A. M'Cann's Ardsallagh, 3, 8-9 Jos. Canty 0
Mr. J. D. Wilkinson's Actrix, 3, 8-8 ..M. Wing 0
Mr. F. S. Myerscough's Right Away, 3, 7-9 W. Howard 0
(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting.—2 to 1 agst. Athshannon, 5 to 2 PINK HAWTHORN, 5 to 1 each Ardsallagh and Right Away, 6 to 1 Actrix, 20 to 1 each Buffoon and Ceylonese.

Athshannon made the running from Pink Hawthorn, Actrix, Ardsallagh, and Buffoon, to the distance, where Pink Hawthorn assumed command, and won easily by a length; three lengths divided second and third. Ardsallagh was fourth and Actrix next.

Time—1 min. 17 1-5 secs.

2.45—POLLARDSTOWN PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. Weight for age, etc. 1¼ m.
Colonel Honner's br. g. KING'S FALLOCH, by King's Ransom—Little Falloch, 5, 10-3 Jos. Canty 1
Mr. J. J. M'Auley's SAORSTAT, 5, 10-3 Jos. Fitzgerald 2
Mrs. Darby Rogers's EMPRESS FOREST, a, 8-9 (car. 8-10) ....W. Beasley 3
Mr. R. L. Philpot's Hysterics, 4, 9-7 J. Moylan 0
Mr. G. P. Gilpin's Crockanoir, 4, 8-9 P. Fitzgerald 0
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's Somme Web, 3, 8-0 (car. 8-5) ....E. Quirke 0
(Winner trained by Major P. J. C. Honner.)

Betting.—5 to 2 on KING'S FALLOCH, 4 to 1 agst. Saorstat, 20 to 1 Empress Forest or any other.

Somme Web set the pace to Crochanoir, Empress Forest, Saorstat, and King's Falloch, for half the journey, when King's Falloch and Saorstat drew clear away from the others. Holding the lead for the remainder of the journey, King's Falloch won in a canter by two lengths; eight lengths divided second and third. Hysterics was fourth and Somme Web next.

Time—2 mins. 16 4-5 secs.

3.25—JULY SELLING PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. For two years old. 5 f.
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's b. f. FORETELL, by Soulouque, dam by Saxham—Venetian Maid, 9-8 ....E. Quirke 1
Mr. J. V. Rowan's SCARLET SHRIMP, 9-5 P. Lenehan 2
Mr. J. Spicer's PRAIRIE BLOSSOM, 8-10 Jos. Canty 3
Mr. B. M. Slocock's Hippeas, 9-0 ..A. Barrett 0
Mr. J. T. Rogers's Brannockstown, 8-10 C. Hamshaw 0
(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting.—Evens Scarlet Shrimp, 6 to 4 agst. FORETELL, 6 to 1 Prairie Blossom, 20 to 1 any other.

Foretell led from Scarlet Shrimp, Prairie Blossom, and Brannockstown. Inside the distance Scarlet Shrimp challenged, but failed to get on terms, Foretell winning by a short head; five lengths divided second and third. Brannockstown was fourth.

Time—62 secs.

The winner was bought in for 150 sovs.

3.55—DROGHEDA MEMORIAL STAKES of 300 sovs., of which the second receives 30 sovs. and the third 20 sovs. Weight for age, etc. 5 f.
Mr. W. A. Wallis's br. c. LORD WEMBLEY, by Pendennis—Captive Princess, 3, 9-8 M. Wing 1
Capt. R. B. Brassey's NANTENAN, 3, 9-8 Jos. Canty 2
Mr. John Doyle's SHANNON SCHEME, 2, 7-0 John Doyle 3
(Winner trained by J. Staunton.)

Betting.—6 to 4 on LORD WEMBLEY, 6 to 1 Nantenan, 50 to 1 Shannon Scheme.

Lord Wembley led from Shannon Scheme and Nantenan for three furlongs. Then Nantenan took second place, but could make no impression on Lord Wembley, who won in a canter by six lengths; ten lengths divided second and third.

Time—60 2-5 secs.

4.25—THE APPRENTICES' PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. Weight for age, etc. 6 f.
Capt. R. B. Brassey's b. NEW BARN, by Hainault—[illegible]nie, 3, 7-0 ....P. O'Loughlin 1
Mr. Gill's HANNONIA, 3, 6-8 ..J. Condron *
Mr. O'Brien's SWEET LOCH LOMOND, 3, 6-12 Prendergast *
Mrs. Darby Rogers's Shining Willow, 4, 7-0 J. O'Brien 0
Mr. Valentine's Maitresse, 4, 7-1 Jos. Hunter 0
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's Sweet Honey, 3, 6-12 G. McQuillan 0
Mr. Murphy's Buchan's Bridge, 3, 6-12 ..W. Rea 0
Mr. B. M. Slocock's Lady Lucienne, 3, 6-8 P. O'Brien 0
*Dead-heat for second place.
(Winner trained by H. Hartigan.)

Betting.—6 to 4 agst. Sweet Loch Lomond, 3 to 1 each NEW BARN and Buchan's Bridge, 20 to 1 any other.

New Barn, striking off the quickest, carried on the running from Hannonia, Sweet Loch Lomond, and Buchan's Bridge. Inside the distance Sweet Loch Lomond and Hannonia closed with New Barn, but at the finish the last-named held her own, winning by a length; a dead heat for second place. Shining Willow was fourth and Buchan's Bridge next.

Time—1 min. 14 4-5 secs.

4.55—THE STAND PLATE of 150 sovs., of which the second receives 15 sovs. and the third 10 sovs. A handicap. 1 m.
Capt. R. B. Brassey's b. f. FEDAMORE, by [illegible]t—Minerva, 5, 8-9 ....Jos. Canty 1
Mr. W. T. de Pledge's WHITE CORAL, 5, 9-7 J. Moylan 2
Mr. C. Fagan's LORD BURDON, 4, 8-0 J. H. Harty 3
Mr. P. J. Murphy's Lislea, 5, 10-5 ..John Doyle 0
Mr. C. T. Vandeleur's Tangle Toes, 4, 10-0 D. Ward 0
Mr. L. Scott's The Kid, 4, 8-11........A. Barrett 0
(Winner trained by H. Hartigan.)

Betting.—6 to 4 each agst. FEDAMORE and White Coral, 6 to 1 each Tangle Toes and The Kid, 10 to 1 Lord Burdon, 50 to 1 Lislea.

Tangle Toes showed the way to Fedamore, White Coral, Lord Burdon, and The Kid, for six furlongs, when Fedamore drew to the front, and, holding White Coral at bay, won by half a length; three lengths divided second and third. Tangle Toes was fourth.

Time—1 min. 41 4-5 secs.

THE IRISH OAKS.

TO-DAY'S RACE.

The sport should attain to a higher plane to-day, which will see the decision of the Irish Oaks, which, however, will not attract more than half a dozen runners, but the other events may fill out better in this respect. Plans have been changed with regard to Bella Minna, who will be an absentee, and the following are the

PROBABLE STARTERS AND JOCKEYS.

RESPLENDENT, b. f., by By George—Sunbridge (Mr. D. Sullivan) (Persse), 9-7 ....T. Burns
LADY LAWLESS, b. f., by Son-in-Law—Entanglement (the Aga Khan) (R. Dawson), 9-4 ....C. Smirke
AMATOI, ch. f., by Prince Hermes—Vitoi (Mr. A. B. Coyle) (Fordred), 9st. ....M. Wing
ERIN GREEN, b. f., by Irishman—Alvuelo (Mr. T. P. O'Neill) (Parkinson), 9st. E. M. Quirke
*LEONORA, b. f., by Athlone—Leonia (Mr. P. Dunne Cullinan) (Doyle), 9st. James Doyle
ARGENTAN, b. f., by Argos—The Pile (Major D. Dixon) (M. Dawson), 9st. Jos. Canty
*Doubtful.

On the running in the English Oaks, Resplendent should again account for the other English-trained candidate, Lady Lawless, who was fourth to her second in that race, and still going by the "book" Mr. Sullivan's filly ought to beat Erin Green and Argentan, both of whom she readily defeated in the Irish 1,000 Guineas. The latter is reported to have come on a good deal since then, and should run well, but **Lady Lawless** may prove the chief danger to

RESPLENDENT.

Other selections are appended:—
Rathbride Plate—**Leander**; if absent, **Tag End.**
Brownstown Plate—**Buzzing Bee.**
Curragh Plate—**Striped Satin.**
Ballymanus Plate—**Kiltaghan.**
Probationers' Stakes—**Fairyman** or **Ina's Gift.**

2.15—RATHBRIDE PLATE of 200 sovs., of which the second receives 20 sovs. and the third 10 sovs. A handicap for two years old. 5 f. st. lb.
LEANDER (Mr. J. J. M'Auley)........Coombs 9 3
PUFFIN (Mrs. M. G. Scott)........Brabazon 8 12
TAG END (Mr. H. I. Ussher)........Owner 8 6
INDIAN HERO (Mr. C. A. Rogers)........Arnott 8 2
WHITE SPEAR (Major Dixon)........Behan 8 1
TIMBUCKTOO (Sir G. S. Murray)........Hunter 8 1
INA'S GIFT (Mr. C. L. Mackean)........Blake 8 1
ROYAL HEROINE (Mr. H. F. Evans)........Ray 8 1
PHILALICE (Mr. D. Murray)........Perry 7 11
CROTANSTOWN (Mr. J. T. Rogers)........Owner 7 10
DIAVOLETTA (Mr. A. M'Cann)........Dawson 7 9
PARADO (Mr. O. M'Mullan)........Coombs 7 9
BALLYSCANLON (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Owner 7 8
CUDDLER (Mr. J. Turner)........Jeffery 7 8
ZORRO PARDO (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Owner 7 7
BELLE AURORE (Mrs. T. Coombs)....Coombs 7 7
ROYAL TIMES (Mr. J. J. Macaulay)..Coombs 7 6
STRIPED SLEEVES (Mr. R. Power) .. Arnott 7 6
ACTUARY (Mr. J. J. Parkinson)........Owner 7 6
WHITE CHARTREUSE (Mr. Darby Rogers) D. Rogers 7 5
RAVENSTONE (Mr. J. J. Parkinson)........Owner 7 3
ALYTH (Mr. W. P. Gill)........J. Rogers 7 3

2.45—THE BROWNSTOWN PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. Weight for age, etc. 6 f. Age st. lb.
HAZEL GROVE (Mr. Jos. Read) ....Coombs 3 8 12
MARTEN'S LIGHT (Mr. P. Monahan) Doyle 3 8 7
RAPID ROSE (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Parkinson 3 8 7
GOLDEN REEF (Capt. J. J. Clune) ..Kenny 4 8 6
GRISETTE (Mr. C. T. Cornelius) ...Kenny 4 8 6
PORTLAND (Mrs. Gerald Dunne)........Blake 3 8 0
TEA LEAF (Mr. C. Fagan) ....Gleeson 4 8 6
SADIR (Capt. Harding) ....J. Rogers 3 8 0
RIGHTING (Colonel M. Hogan) ....(——) 3 8 0
BUZZING BEE (Mrs. V. Morton Jackson) Behan 3 8 0
THE GLED (Mr. T. K. Laidlaw) ....Coombs 3 8 0
MARINER'S HOPE (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Parkinson 3 8 0
MOLLOY (Mr. F. S. Myerscough) ....Fordred 3 8 0
SPRIG OF FISH (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Parkinson 3 8 0
PURSUED (Mr. J. T. Rogers) ....Owner 3 8 0
GOOD-BYE (Mr. J. T. Rogers) ....Owner 3 8 0
KILKROON (Mrs. T. H. Wallace) ..Wallace 3 8 0

3.25—THE IRISH OAKS of 2,500 sovs., of which the breeder of the winner and the owner of the second receives 150 sovs. each, and the breeder of the second and the owner of the third 75 sovs. each. For three years old fillies, 9st. each. Winners extra. 1½ m. st. lb.
BELLA MINNA (Colonel Fairfax)........Beatty 9 7
ALLETS (Mr. A. H. Macaulay)........Owner 9 7
RESPLENDENT (Mr. D. Sullivan)........Persse 9 7
LADY LAWLESS (The Aga Khan) R. Dawson 9 4
DOUSHKA (Lord Carnarvon)........R. Dawson 9 4
ON WITH THE DANCE (Mrs. E. A. Dodds) Collins 9 0
LEONORA (Mr. P. Dunne Cullinan)........Doyle 9 0
MISS HAZEL OGE (Capt. B. Daly)........Fordred 9 0
FAIR HEAD (Capt. Dixon)........Behan 9 0
ARGENTAN (Major Dixon)........M. Dawson 9 0
LAW AND ORDER (Lord Furness)........Drake 9 0
NEPTUNE'S DAUGHTER (Lord Furness) Drake 9 0
SWEET MINT (Mr. P. C. Hickey)........ 9 0
HESPERINIA (Colonel Honner)........Honner 9 0
AMATOI (Mr. A. B. Coyle)........Fordred 9 0
PHALOI (Mr. J. J. McAuley)........Coombs 9 0
SCARLET SATIN (Mr. R. Power)........Doyle 9 0
PLUVIOSE (Mr. W. B. Purefoy)........Harper 9 0
QUEEN OF THE FOAM (Mr. James White)
BEAUTIFUL SUN (Mr. James White)........Ward 9 0
MISS STEALTH (Mr. James White)........Ward 9 0
FEDAMORE (Capt. R. B. Brassey) H. Hartigan 9 0
ERIN GREEN (Mr. T. P. O'Neill)........Parkinson 9 0
WHITE MAIZE (Mr. Cundell)........Owner 9 0

3.55—CURRAGH PLATE of 300 sovs., of which the second receives 30 sovs. and the third 20 sovs. A handicap. 5 f.
NANTENAN (Capt. R. B. Brassey) H. Hartigan 3 9 10
FAIR HEAD (9lb. ex.) (Capt. Dixon) Behan 3 9 9
GOLDEN BIRD (Mr. Jos. Read)........Coombs 4 9 9
ARGOZONE (Mr. J. J. M'Auley)........Coombs 5 9 2
FOLLE FARINE (9lb. ex.) (Mr. T. Coombs) Coombs 3 8 13
MAY ORB (9lb. ex.) (Mr. P. J. Murphy) Doyle 4 8 13
GOLDEN INA (Mr. W. Coffey)........Perry 3 8 12
PINK HAWTHORN (9lb. ex.) (Mr. T. J. Rogers) Owner 3 8 11
SHADZA (Mr. W. T. de Pledge)..Fetherston 3 8 9
MIRABEAU (Mr. J. J. Parkinson)........Owner 3 8 6
VESINGTON BEE (Mr. C. T. Wallis) Behan 3 8 3
LEONORA (Mr. P. Dunne Cullinan)........Doyle 3 8 3
IMMATERIAL (Mr. J. O'Callaghan)........Hunter 3 8 3
NO DECEIT (9lb. ex.) (Mr. J. J. M'Auley) Coombs 4 8 2
MAY PAN OUT (Mr. J. V. Rowan)........Coombs 3 8 1
STRIPED SATIN (Mr. R. Power)........Arnott 3 8 0
CORNBIN (Mr. D. G. Dickson)........Reidy 3 7 12
CITRINE (Mr. R. Gorey)........Hunter 4 7 12
PROTECTIONIST (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Owner 3 7 8

4.25—BALLYMANUS PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs., and the third 5 sovs. A handicap flat race. 2 m. Age st. lb.
BAWN-NA-GLAS (Mr. W. J. Parkinson) Parkinson 6 11 2
PEARLMORE (Miss M'Donnell)....McGrath a 10 2
BROKEN VOW (Mr. Shaw)........Parkinson a 10 0
LUACMORE (Mr. O'Neill)........Parkinson 4 10 0
KILTAGHAN (7lb. ex.) (Mr. Tyrrell) Ussher 5 9 9
SILVER RIVER (Mrs. R. Adams) Kenny 5 9 7
TIRANOGUE (Mr. Ashe)........Owner 6 9 7
MISS DRUCE (Mr. Farrell)........Manley a 9 7
O MAY (Mr. A. Wills)........Parkinson 4 9 3
LITTLE CLIFTER (Mr. Shaw)....Fetherston a 9 2
SAORSTAT (Mr. M'Auley)........Coombs 5 9 2
TONY LAD (Mr. M'Cann ....Ussher 5 9 0
LETHAM (Mr. Wilkinson)........H. Hartigan 5 9 0
GALENA-MOOR (Mrs. Dodd)........Collins 5 8 12
BELSAY BELLE (Mrs. T. Coombs)....Coombs 4 8 12
GLENANAAR (Mr. W. Watson)........Collins 6 8 7
EASTER HERO (Mrs. J. H. C. Bartholomew 6 8 7

4.55—PROBATIONERS' STAKES of 200 sovs., of which the second receives 20 sovs. and the third 10 sovs. For two years old. 6 f. st. lb.
TIMBUCKTOO (5lb.) (Sir G. S. Murray) Hunter 9 11
FAIRYMAN (5lb.) (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Owner 9 4
BRENNIE (5lb.) (Mrs. T. Coombs)........Coombs 9 0
INA'S GIFT (5lb.) (Mr. I. J. Blake)........Blake 9 0
CROW FALLOCH (Mr. E. Curran)........Dawson 8 11
BINN'S BRIDGE (Mr. J. Leech)........Staunton 8 11
COINAGE (Mr. F. S. Myerscough)........Fordred 8 11
OFFSIDE (5lb.) (Mr. J. J. Parkinson)........Owner 8 10
NELL GWYNNE (5lb and 5lb.) (Mr. J. Hunter) Owner 8 9
E. and O.E. (Captain R. B. Brassey) H. Hartigan 8 7
CELTIC ROSE (Mr. J. A. Coen)........Owner 8 7
MISS O'HARA (Mr. A. B. Coyle)........Fordred 8 7
CROTANSTOWN (Mr. J. T. Rogers)........Owner 8 7
SCARLET SHRIMP (Mr. J. V. Rowan) Coombs 8 7
SPRINTER (5lb.) (Mr. J. Baird)........Behan 8 6
CARLOW (5lb.) (Mr. J. T. Rogers)........Owner 8 6
BUCHAN'S PRIDE (5lb.) (Mr. W. T. de Pledge) Fetherston 8 6
WESTGERION (5lb.) (Mr. A. Turner) ..Jeffery 8 6
KING HERMES (5lb.) (Mr. F. S. Myerscough) Fordred 8 6
SHREWD KING (5lb.) (Mr. H. M. Hartigan) Owner 8 6
BANOGUE (5lb.) (Captain R. B. Brassey) H. Hartigan 8 2
ROSY EAGER (5lb.) (Mr. J. J. McAuley) Coombs 8 2
SHINING PRINCESS (5lb.) (Mr. J. T. Rogers) Owner 8 2
AMARANTH (5lb.) (Mr. M. Cunningham) Owner 8 2
PRINCESS LEILA (5lb.) (Mr. E. Trainor) Doyle 8 2
COMMON GOOD (5lb. and 5lb.) (Mr. J. J. Parkinson)........Owner 8 1
EL KANTARA (5lb. and 5lb.) (Mr. D. Sullivan) Dawson 8 1
GEORGIE BEDE (5lb. and 5lb.) (Mr. J. A. Coen)........Owner 7 11
BELLE AURORE (5lb. and 5lb.) (Mrs. T. Coombs)........Coombs 7 11

SALE OF SILVER LARK.

Acting on behalf of Mr. A. Bendir, Mr. W. B. Purefoy has purchased from Mrs. Mackean the three-year-old Silver Lark, by Silvern, out of Laverock, for 7,000 guineas. Mr. C. L. Mackean bought Silver Lark as a foal for 550 guineas, and made a present of him to his wife. Last month in the Irish Derby he only succumbed to Embargo by half a length after a great race, and he is next engaged in the Irish St. Leger, which will be run at the Curragh September Meeting. Silver Lark goes into E. Harper's stable at East Everleigh, Wiltshire.

SPECIAL SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

Westminster Gazette:—To-day's best — Tetragynia colt. Double—Review Order and Tetragynia colt.

Daily Express:—Safety bet—Priory Park. Double—Review Order and Priory Park.

Daily Mirror:—Double—Inca and Merchants' Flag (nap).

Daily Graphic:—Double—Il Soriso de Sabato and Henna Girl.

LIVERPOOL

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME AND SELECTIONS.

A very attractive programme is down for decision at the opening stage of the Liverpool Summer Meeting to-day. The St. George Stakes and the Molyneux Cup are the principal features, and from a wagering point of view the latter event will make the most appeal. Scherzo will probably not attempt the formidable task of conceding weight all round, and in his absence Inca will shoulder top weight. The Manton filly has made great improvement recently, but a slightly longer distance might suit her better. There is much to be said in favour of Monk's Way, who should again finish in front of Golden Fairy. Compiler should run well, while Equator appears to have an excellent chance of atoning for previous failures, as the horse was never better handicapped. Perhaps So is a speedy beginner, and this means a lot, while Irish trainers have a couple of worthy representatives in Fohanaun and Knocklong Boy. The best may be Perhaps So and Equator, the former being slightly preferred. The St. George Stakes appears to rest between Review Order, Booklet, and Caissot, and the preference is in the order named. Selections:—

Grasmere Selling—**Erosion.**
Church House Selling—**Corolet.***
St. George Stakes—**Review Order.**
Molyneux Cup—**Perhaps So.**
Mersey Stakes—**Sickle.**
Southport Plate—**Chandos.**

TO-DAY'S DOUBLE.

Corolet (Liverpool) and **Quibble colt** (Lanark).

2.0—GRASMERE MAIDEN THREE-YEAR OLD SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. 6 f. st. lb.
MERRY BULL (Capt. G. Davy)......Beatty 8 7
ORION'S BELT (Maj. McCalmont)....Persse 8 7
BLACK STEFAN (Mr. R. Moreton)......Owner 8 7
MERE POULT (Mr. S. Pickering)......Owner 8 7
TETRAPETALOUS (Mr Arkwright)....Persse 8 7
WAVERING DOWN (Mr. Clarke)......Hastings 8 4
TENSIVE (Sir H. Cunliffe-Owen)......O. Bell 8 4
LADYBRIDGE (Mr. T. Davidson)......R. Day 8 4
ISAURIA G, by Irish Elegance (Mr. R. Day) Owner 8 4
BELLEANNAN (Mr. Duckworth)....C. Davis 8 4
EROSION (Ld. Durham)......P. Peck 8 4
BUCENE (Ld. Glanely)......Archer 8 4
GREY CANOPY (Mr. J. Hassan)......Higgs 8 4
TRIGONA (Mr. T. J. Howard)......Lines 8 4
WOOLSCOTT (Mrs. J. C. Lewis)......Strong 8 4
BACHELOR'S FATE (Mr. Lowry)......Powney 8 4
INDIAN IMP (Mr. J. Robertson)......Rimell 8 4
MARTIAN (Mr. J. E. Rowson)......Hogg 8 4
LITTLE ZIP (Maj. C. Stevens)......Owner 8 4
BLINKING AGNES (Mr. Stewart)......O. Bell 8 4

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
000	BLACK STEFAN	Lane	6/1
000	TETRAPETALOUS	H. Beasley	3/1
040	WAVERING DOWN	Caldwell	5/1
000	BELLANNAN	Marshall	7/1
4?2	EROSION	Weston	7/4
000	BUCENE	Thwaites	8/1
000	TRIGONA	Archibald	9/2
000	INDIAN IMP	K. Robertson	10/1

2.30—CHURCH HOUSE SELLING HANDICAP of 200 sovs. 1½ m. Age st. lb.
BELGIAN BOY (Mr. L. Oppenheim) Barthropp a 9 0
VADDY (Mrs. G. Dowson)......Private a 8 11
COROLET (Mr. L. Fattorini)......Pollock 5 8 0
INVERORAN (Mr. W. Thorpe) Chamberlin 4 7 12
MORE PRIDE (Mr. G. Bennett)....Owner 6 7 10
INDIA'S CHARM (Mr. G. Bennett)....Owner 3 7 6
FRESHWOMAN (Mrs. F. Smith)....J. Lyall 5 7 4
GAY CANOPY (Mr. G. Reed)......Rimell 6 7 3
MERRY MINER (Mr. J. Settle)......Owner a 7 2
MISTER BLACK (Mr. H. Cottrill)....Owner a 7 0
NOTHING HIGHER (Mr. H. Brueton) C. Piggott 4 6 12
STONETTE (Mr. H. Brueton)....Rennison 4 6 11
GOLDEN FLAKE (Mr. J. Scott)......Owner 6 6 10
GALLOWS BRIDGE (Mrs. H. Sanday) Sanday a 6 9
JOHN TULLY (Mr. H. Cope)......Shedden 4 6 8
EL REY (Mrs. N. Roberts)......Roberts a 6 7

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
423	BELGIAN BOY	Winter	7/2
400	VADDY	Brennan	7/1
403	COROLET	Perryman	11/4
000	INVERORAN	H. Leach	10/1
002	INDIA'S CHARM	Marshall	9/2
000	MERRY MINER	Alford	8/1
002	STONETTE	K. Robertson	10/1
001	GOLDEN FLAKE	Carroll	4/1
401	GALLOWS BRIDGE	P. Donoghue	7/1
000	JOHN TULLY	A. Berry	10/1
000	EL REY	D. Jones	10/1

3.0—ST. GEORGE STAKES, a sweepstakes of 31 sovs. each, if left in, with 1,000 sovs. added; owner at entry of winner receives 150 sovs., owner at entry of second 50 sovs., owner of second 100 sovs., and owner of third 50 sovs. Three-year-olds. 1m. 2f. 170 yds. st. lb.
LANCEGAYE (Mr. Singer)......Taylor 9 6
CAISSOT (Lord Derby)......Lambton 9 6
REVIEW ORDER (Ld. Barnby)......Persse 9 2
SPARTACUS (Ld. Rosebery)......J. Jarvis 9 2
PHANARITE (H.H. Aga Khan)....R. Dawson 8 13
KARRA (Lady Richardson)......J. Jarvis 8 12
BLUEBERG (Sir A. Bailey)......R. Day 8 10
GAY LOTHARIO (Ld. Glanely)......Archer 8 10
GERMINATION (Mr. S. Joel)......Earl 8 7
BOOKLET (Lord Astor)......Taylor 8 0
HILIKA (Mrs. T. Carthew)......Wootton 8 0
BRINSLEY (Sir H. Fitzherbert)......Clement 8 0
PLAYBOY (Mr. J. B. Joel)......C. Peck 8 0
THE ROGUE II. (Mr. Macomber) S. Darling 8 0
LULWORTH COVE (Duke of Portland) F. Darling 8 0
LIGHTNING ARTIST (Mr. Singer) Taylor 8 0
KERLOCH (Mr. Walker)......J. Rhodes 8 0
PLYMOUTH HOE (Mr. Walker) ...C. Doyle 8 0
TOUCH AND GO (Capt. H. Whitworth) Boyd-Rochfort 8 0
MALVERN CHASE (Sir G. Bullough) J. Jarvis 7 11
LONG LEAVE (Mr. Cunliffe)......Owner 7 11
TETRALOGY (Lady Cunliffe-Owen) Leach, sen. 7 11
GLEN ROSA (Lord Derby)......Lambton 7 11
ROSEOLA (Mr. Widener)......Crawford 7 11
LA CAVALE (Baron M. de Rothschild) Gilpin 7 11
DAMOZEL (Sir Charles Hyde)......Scobie* 7 11
JAN MAHAL (H.H. Aga Khan) R. Dawson 7 11
WILLIAM OF TYRE (Mr. A. Walker) Persse 7 11
INNUENDO (Mr. R. Walker)......C. Doyle 7 11
QUEEN OF THE FOAM (Mr. White) L. Ward 7 11

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
104	CAISSOT	Weston	4/1
001	REVIEW ORDER	H. Beasley	7/4
330	BOOKLET	R. Jones	9/2
202	PLAYBOY	F. Fox	3/1
030	TOUCH AND GO	S. Donoghue	5/1
00	ROSEOLA	Woolmer	10/1
	INNUENDO	Lane	10/1

3.30—MOLYNEUX CUP (handicap) of 1,500 sovs. (including a Cup value 50 sovs.) 5 f. Age st. lb.
SCHERZO (Capt. J. Fielden)......O. Bell 5 9 0
INCA (Mr. Reid Walker)......Taylor 4 8 4
MONK'S WAY (Ld. Woolavington) F. Darling 3 8 3
GOLDEN FAIRY (Ld. Derby)...Lambton 3 7 12
PERHAPS SO (Lady Nunburnholme) Boyd-Rochfort 5 7 11
CYNOS (Mr. Bartholomew)..F. Hartigan 6 7 10
PRIORY PARK (Mr. J. Joel)...C. Peck 4 7 10
SILVRETTA (Ld. Dewar)......F. Darling 3 7 6
EQUATOR (Sir D. Broughton) Farquharson 5 7 5
MARINE PARADE (Ld. Glanely)..Archer 3 7 4
SUNSTONE (Sir A. Bailey)........R. Day 5 7 4
HERBALIST (Mrs. A. James)...Lambton 3 7 2
FOHANAUN (Col. A. J. Blake)...Owner 3 7 2
MERMAID (Mr. Plummer)..........Cundell 6 6 11
KNOCKLONG BOY (Mr. Coffey)...Perry 4 6 9
DOORWAY (Mrs. E. Rayner).....Peacock 4 6 7
MAYRIAN (Mr. Sol Joel)..............Earl 3 6 6
GRAND GLACIER (Ld. Glanely)..Archer 3 6 5

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
031	INCA	R. Jones	7/1
202	MONK'S WAY	J. Childs	11/2
132	GOLDEN FAIRY	Weston	7/2
120	COMPILER	Kirby	8/1
132	PERHAPS SO	S. Donoghue	5/1
003	CYNOS	Marshall	10/1
300	PRIORY PARK	Walsh	8/1
023	EQUATOR	Dines	10/1
202	HERBALIST	Caldwell	100/8
100	FOHANAUN	A. Burns	100/8
031	MERMAID	Alford	10/1
301	KNOCKLONG BOY	Carroll	7/1
400	DOORWAY	P. Donoghue	100/8
140	GRAND GLACIER	A. Berry	100/8

4.0—MERSEY STAKES of 20 sovs. each, 10 ft., with 400 sovs. added. Second receives 50 sovs. and third 20 sovs. Two-year-olds. 5 f. st. lb.
ROYAL POM (Sir Abe Bailey) ......R. Day 7 9
PRESTO (Mr. S. W. Beer) ....Leach, jun. 7 9
BARDSEY (Mr. A. R. Cox) ....Taylor 7 9
SICKLE (Lord Derby) ....Lambton 7 9
JOHN MACNAB (Sir H. Meux) ......Persse 7 9
TOTEM DANCE (Mr. J. B. Joel).....C. Peck 7 6
GOLDEN ODE (Ld. Londonderry)..Pickering 7 6
CAPTION (Sir V. Sassoon)...........Crawford 7 6
RED DEVIL (Mr. F. Templeman)......Owner 7 6
SILVER BARB (Mr. R. D. Cohen) ...R. Day 7 9

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
22	SICKLE	Weston	1/5
0	GOLDEN ODE	H. Leach	8/1
002	RED DEVIL	F. Fox	100/8

4.30—SOUTHPORT T.Y.O. PLATE of 200 sovs. Second receives 15 sovs. 5 f. st. lb.
ROMAN EMPIRE (Mr. Cottrill)......Owner 9 3
CHANDOS (Ld. Derby)..............Lambton 8 12
MERCHANT'S FLAG (Ld. Glanely) Archer 8 12
SWEET FAIRY (Mr. Dennis) R. J. Colling 8 7
GALLANT AND GAY (Mr. Beer) Leach, jun. 8 3
PRESTO (Mr. S. W. Beer)......Leach, jun. 8 3
CHAIRMAN (Lady A. Compton-Vyner) Cole 8 3
NOBLE BOY (Mr. C. A. Cowle).........Kirk 8 3
PARSEE (Ld. Derby) [illegible]
MASTER JIM (Mr. Fat[illegible]
GRANDISSON (Ld. Glanely) [illegible]
ATTIC (Mr. T. F. Ryan) [illegible]
ADIEU (Mr. F. W. Horlock) [illegible]
MERSEY TUNNEL (Cap[illegible]
MISSING GEM (Maj. McCalmont) [illegible]
TETRAGYNIA C., by G[illegible] Pickering) [illegible]
FRIARGATE (Mr. H. Ri[illegible]
SUNDERLAD (Mr. Sol Joel) [illegible]
GAY CORINTHIAN (Mr. J. She[illegible]
WINMORE (Mrs. J. Sheppard) [illegible]
SPORTING KIT (Mr. [illegible]
RED ROOSTER (Ld. Wa[illegible]
FORTITUDE (Mrs. S. Whitburn) [illegible]
EDOUARD (Mrs. S. Whitb[illegible]
ROYAL SPARK (Mr. Boot[illegible]
SILVER BARB (Mr. Rex [illegible]
IN TUNE (Mr. H. A. Cot[illegible]
EMPIRE DAY (Mr. D. C[illegible]
LOVELACE (Mr. Dyke D[illegible]
GOLDEN ROCKET (Sir E [illegible]
THUNDERCLAP (Mr. Har[illegible]
DRIFTING FLAME (Ld. [illegible]
CONQUER (Mr. Sol Joel) [illegible]
ORTEMA (Mr. H. B. Lawrence)......Cundell 8 0
SUN NYMPH (Mr. H. Lines)..........Owner 8 0
TARGETEER (Mr. J. B. Reid)........Beatty 8 0
DAY WORK (Sir V. Sassoon).........Crawford 8 0
FRIAR PALM (Mr. J. Shepherd) F. Leader 8 0
FIONA (Ld. Woolavington)..........F. Darling 8 0

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
31	CHANDOS	Weston	5/4
431	MERCHANT'S FLAG	Thwaites	5/2
0	ATTIC	H. Beasley	5/1
0	TETRAGYNIA COLT	Jelliss	7/1
	RED ROOSTER	Lane	10/1
0	DAY WORK	P. Brown	7/1

LATEST SCRATCHINGS.
St. George Stakes—Grand Flight.
Hill House Stakes—Gwydir.
Lancashire Breeders' Stakes—Midsummer, Bright Sign.
Windermere Plate—Greased Lightning.
Croxteth Stakes—Miss Joan.
Withins Welter—Glanyllyn.
Atlantic Cup—Lady Ruler, Skyrone.
Jolliffe Plate—Lawn gelding and Silver Fan.

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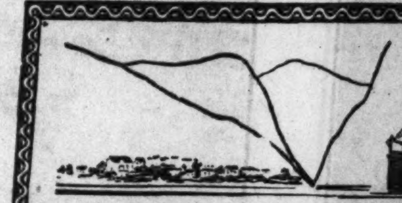

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AYR RESULTS.

2.0—DOON ALL-AGED SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. For two years old. Second to receive 10 sovs. and third 5 sovs. 6 f.
Mrs. A. Bendir's b. f. FLY GIRL, by Flying Orb or Santoi—Queenie, 3, 8-9 James Doyle 1
Lord Hillingdon's COLOSSEUM, 4, 8-3 Wragg 2
Mr. S. Cohen's COLOSSUS, 6, 9-7...A. Balding 3
Also ran:—Jacquot (G. Hulme), Full Speed (J. Taylor), Galloping Slav (D. Fordon), Ardscull (A. Glasgow), Wild Night (R. A. James), Amadio (D. McGuigan), Inchberry (J. Beasley), Bachelor's Luck (P. Donoghue). Off 2.2. (Winner trained by E. Harper.)

Betting—"Sporting Chronicle"—7 to 2 agst. Bachelor's Luck, 4 to 1 Colossus, 5 to 1 Colosseum, 8 to 1 each Jacquot, Galloping Slav, and Ardscull; 100 to 8 FLY GIRL or any other. "Sporting Life"—Same.

Won by three-parts of a length; a head.

The winner was sold to Mr. J. Burns for 460 gns.

2.30—MONKTON SELLING WELTER HANDICAP PLATE of 200 sovs. Second to receive 10 sovs. and third 5 sovs. 1 m.
Lord Lonsdale's b. h. DEMONICUS, by Willonyx—Demeter, 5, 8-8......A. Lindborg 1
Mr. John Burns's (jun.) FIDDLEBACK, a, 8-1 H. Wragg 2
Mr. W. B. Purefoy's PLUVOISE, 3, 8-4 James Doyle 3
Also ran:—Hazletwig (F. Hodges), Darragh (J. Duckenfield), Corcel (C. Parker), Wee Mon (H. Stone), Square Shins (A. Glasgow), The Saturday Smile (W. Christie). Off 2.30. (Winner trained by R. Armstrong.)

Betting—"Sporting Chronicle"—7 to 2 agst. Pluvoise, 9 to 2 Fiddleback, 6 to 1 each Hazletwig and Wee Mon, 8 to 1 each DEMONICUS and Square Shins, 100 to 7 any other. "Sporting Life"—Same.

Won by a length and a half; two lengths.

The winner was sold to Mr. Renton for 250 gns.

3.0—CASTLEHILL HANDICAP PLATE of 300 sovs. Second to receive 25 sovs. and third 5 sovs. 1½ m.
Mr. W. B. Purefoy's ch. f. BREEZY HEATHER, by Charles O'Malley—Auntie Lizzie, 4, 8-2 James Doyle 1
Sir Charles Hyde's DARK FOX, a, 8-10 F. Dempsey 2
Mr. J. McLean's LEGEND, 6, 7-9 D. McGuigan 3
Also ran:—Carlotta (H. Wragg), Orpi (J. Harding). Off 3.3. (Winner trained by E. Harper.)

Betting—"Sporting Chronicle"—2 to 1 agst. Dark Fox, 5 to 2 Carlotta, 4 to 1 BREEZY HEATHER, 5 to 1 Legend, 100 to 7 Orpi. "Sporting Life"—Same.

Won by half a length; two lengths.

3.30—ALLOWAY MAIDEN T.Y.O. PLATE of 200 sovs. for the winner; 10 sovs. for the second and 5 sovs. for the third. 6 f.
Sir E. Hammer's ch. f. GOLDEN ROCKET, by Skyrocket—Mots d'Or, 8-9 ......Jameson 1
Colonel R. Tweedie's DUMPENDER, 8-9 R. James 2
Capt. C. F. Elsey's HEATHERBROOM, 8-9 A. Balding 3
Also ran:—Sonny Fitz (H. Wragg), Golden Bay (A. Lindborg), Touring Prince (T. Burns), Siroon (C. Ray). Off 3.30. (Winner trained by Peacock.)

Betting:—"Sporting Chronicle"—2 to 1 agst. Golden Bay, 7 to 2 Touring Prince, 5 to 1 Siroon, 6 to 1 Heatherbroom, 10 to 1 GOLDEN ROCKET or any other. "Sporting Life"—Same.

Won by three parts of a length; three lengths.

4.0—ROZELLE HANDICAP PLATE of 200 sovs. for winner; 10 sovs. for second and 5 sovs. for third. 5 f.
Mr. C. Green's b. g. GAVIN, by Lomond—Miss Orby, 4, 8-1 ......J. Beasley 1
Capt. A. S. Wilson's THE PRUDE'S FALL, a, 7-7 ......James Doyle 2
Lady Green's TOO EAGER, a, 7-8...Duckenfield 3
Also ran:—White Cat (Boughton), Buckler (H. Wragg), Dunin (R. Crisp), Grey Gown (C. Parker), Price List (R. James), Amierita (D. Jones), Essander (A. Glasgow), Vicereine (G. Williams). Off 4.4. (Winner trained by O'Sullivan.)

Betting.—"Sporting Chronicle"—7 to 4 agst. Buckler, 5 to 1 GAVIN, 8 to 1 each Too Eager and The Prude's Fall, 100 to 8 any other. "Sporting Life"—Same.

Won by a length and a half; a short head.

4.30—ST. QUIVOX MAIDEN APPRENTICES' PLATE of 150 sovs. Second to receive 20 sovs., and third 10 sovs. 5 f.
Mr. S. H. Darling's b. f. SWALE, by Cygnus—Queen of the Dale, 3, 5-13 ......G. Foster 1
Mr. E. T. O'Sullivan's LITTLE EVA'S ROSE, 3, 5-11 ......F. Brookes 2
Mr. H. Morris's STERNMARCH, 5, 6-9 C. Kettlewell 3
Also ran:—Runaway Boy (J. Field). Off 4.31. (Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting:—"Sporting Chronicle"—11 to 10 agst. Little Eva's Rose, 7 to 4 SWALE, 8 to 1 any other. "Sporting Life"—Same.

Won by three lengths; five lengths

LEICESTER RESULTS.

1.30—SUTTON SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. Two years old. Second save entrance. 5 f.
Mr. E. Gwilt's ch. c. GOLDEN WATTLE, by Cellini—Golden Vale, 8-10 ......F. Lane 1
Mr. S. Faulkner's CINCINNATUS, 8-10 J. Leach 2
Mr. T. Wall's ROYAL GEM, 8-2 ......J. Caldwell 3
Also ran:—Lady Evan (J. McLoughlin), Felicite (J. Brennan), Soulouque (C. H. Jelliss), Alphabetical (H. Leach), The Ringer (R. Jones), Vulrine (F. Winter), Furation (W. Alford), Golden Glade (H. Beasley). Off 1.39. (Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting.—"Sporting Life"—2 to 1 agst. GOLDEN WATTLE, 11 to 2 each Felicite and Cincinnatus, 6 to 1 each The Ringer and Royal Gem, 100 to 7 any other. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Won by a length and a half; a head. Felicite was fourth and Lady Evan last.

The winner was bought in for 500 guineas. After the race the starter fined J. Leach £5. Leach rode Cincinnatus, who came through the tapes twice before the start.

2.0—APPLEBY SELLING PLATE HANDICAP of 200 sovs. Second 10 sovs. 6 f.
Sir A. Butt's br. f. TELL TALE, by Black Jester—St. Olive, 3, 7-6 ......J. Caldwell 1
Mrs. C. Rich's IRISH CHANNEL, 3, 7-8 J. Dines 2
Mr. L. Lysaght's ROYAL BATTLE, 3, 8-2 F. Lane 3
Also ran:—Sunday Rambler (D. Morris), Royal Hussar (S. Donoghue), Skyblaze (J. McLoughlin), Newgale (R. Perryman), Belle Noire (K. Robertson), My Joys (W. Alford), Tensive (H. Parker), Clincher (A. Berry), Violet Rowles (W. Morton). Off 2.6. (Winner trained by Wootton.)

Betting.—"Sporting Life"—9 to 2 agst. TELL TALE, 4 to 1 Royal Battle, 6 to 1 Irish Channel, 10 to 1 Skyblaze, 100 to 8 any other. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Won by a length; a neck. Sunday Rambler was fourth and Violet Rowles last.

The winner was bought in for 400 guineas.

2.30—EVINGTON HANDICAP, a plate of 500 sovs. Second 50 sovs., third 25 sovs. 5 f.
Sir E. Wills's br. f. POLIWOG, by Polygnotus—Lady Oswald, 3, 7-1 ......J. Dines 1
Mr. S. Wootton's PALEFROI, 6, 7-2 J. Caldwell 2
Mr. A. Lowry's TAXING MASTER, 6, 6-13 D. Morris 3
Also ran:—Bay Friar (F. Winter), L'Habit Vert (R. Jones), Honey Guide (F. Fox), St. Gironette (S. Donoghue), William of Tyre (A. Burns), Euloise (W. Alford), Arc-en-Ciel (A. Berry). Off 2.32. (Winner trained by De Winton.)

Betting.—"Sporting Life"—9 to 2 each agst. Taxing Master and Palefroi, 5 to 1 Bay Friar, 6 to 1 each L'Habit Vert, Euloise and St. Gironette, 10 to 1 each William of Tyre and Honey Guide, 100 to 6 POLIWOG, or any other. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Won by half a length; a neck. St. Gironette was fourth and William of Tyre last.

3.0—LEICESTERSHIRE OAKS, a plate of 500 sovs. Three years old fillies. Owner of second and breeder of winner receives 80 sovs. and breeder of second and owner of third 20 sovs. each. 1½ m.
Mrs. S. Whitburn's b. f. WITFUL, by Junior—Attic Salt, 8-5 ......S. Donoghue 1
Lord Glanely's SKYLOVE, 8-5 ......J. Thwaites 2
Lord Astor's GAY BIRD, 7-13 ......R. Jones 3
Off 3.1. (Winner trained by Cottrill.)

Betting.—"Sporting Life"—2 to 1 on Gay Bird, 11 to 4 agst. WITFUL, 10 to 1 Skylove. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Skylove broke the line first, but soon resigned to Gay Bird, with Witful last. The last-named moved up into second place in the straight and, challenging at the top of the hill, won cleverly by a head; two lengths separated second and third.

3.30—WISTOW HALL T.Y.O. PLATE of 200 sovs. Second 30 sovs., third 20 sovs. 5 f.
Mr. S. Wootton's b. f. BRISENA, by Amadis—Cidera, 8-5 ......J. Marshall 1
Lady H. McCalmont's TETRA GLASS, 8-9 H. Beasley 2
Mr. H. L. Cottrill's ROMAN EMPIRE, 8-8 S. Donoghue 3
Also ran:—Poor Count (H. Jelliss), Lady T. (T. Morton), Clatter (G. Barber), Starbrace (F. Fox), Winged Bird (R. Perryman). Off 3.32. (Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting.—"Sporting Life"—2 to 1 agst. Tetra Glass, 9 to 4 BRISENA, 9 to 2 Roman Empire, 8 to 1 Poor Count, 10 to 1 Lady T., 100 to 7 any other. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Won by a length and a half; half a length. Lady T. was fourth and Starbrace last.

4.0—TOWER MAIDEN THREE-YEAR-OLD, sweepstakes of 5 sovs. each, with 150 sovs. added. Second 15 sovs., third 10 sovs. out of stakes. 1 m.
Mrs. J. C. Lewis's b. f. WOOLSCOTT, by Sunbright—Sister Mac, 8-11 ......H. Leach 1
Sir S. Birkin's HIDALGO II., 9-0 ......J. Leach 2
Lord Durham's SERVUS, 8-11 ......T. Weston 3
Also ran—Courtship (J. Kirby), Pistolette (F. Fox), Very Nice (D. Morris). Off 4.0. (Winner trained by Leach, jun.)

Betting.—"Sporting Life"—11 to 10 agst. Pistolette, 100 to 30 Servus, 9 to 2 Hidalgo II., 10 to 1 Courtship, 100 to 7 WOOLSCOTT.

Won by half a length; two lengths.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

LIVERPOOL MEETING.
St. George Stakes—Colorado.
Mersey Stakes—Composure.
Southport Plate—Tritoma, Avalanche.
Hill House Handicap—Gracioso.
Abbeystead Plate—Icebound.
Lancashire Breeders' Produce Stakes—Yosemite, Formic.
Windermere Handicap—Ripolin, Compiler.
Croxteth Stakes—Graciosa, Iron Guard.
Atlantic Cup — Donnina, Colorado, Pentland, Schiavoni, Silver Toss, Heraldry, William of Tyre.
Church House Handicap—Forest Girl.
Jolliffe Plate—Heir Apparent.

HURST PARK MEETING
Earlsfield Plate—Lady Capulet, Kisser.
Kingston Stakes—Ulula, Nem Soha.
Lambton Stakes—Winsome Way.
Hurst Park Two Years Old Stakes—Gay Gordon colt, Dovedale, Damon, Bleasdale colt.
Wimbledon Plate—Carmen.
Henry VIII Stakes—Heir Apparent, Mournant, Stargate, Scythe.
Hurst Park engagements—Telavir, King Fiddle.

MISCELLANEOUS.
Singleton Handicap, Goodwood—Lady Capulet.
Drayton Handicap, Goodwood—Canopus.
Lion's Lodge Plate, Chepstow—Lady Lucy Hill.
Cuninghame Handicap, Bogside—Glantrague.
Lammas Plate, Sandown Park—Bambonla.
Open Welter Plate and Southdown Open Welter—Flying Friar.
Bogside engagements—Ragout.
All engagements in Major W. V. Beatty's name—Clever.
All engagements in Captain S. Riley Lord's name—Nuthatch.
All engagements, except in selling races—Cutie, Savoie.
All engagements this year—Buccaroo, Amadee II.
All engagements—Defence, Bleasby, Pale Moon, Nutmeg, Stormcock, Corsley, Richard.

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SELECTIONS FOR LIVERPOOL MEETING TO-DAY.

PAPER.	2.0 RACE.	2.30 RACE.	3.0 RACE.	3.30 RACE.	4.0 RACE.	4.30 RACE.
Irish Times.	Erosion.	Corolet.*	Review Order.	Perhaps So.	Sickle.	Chandos.
Do. Galtee More	—	—	Glen Rosa.	Monk's Way.	—	Tetragynia colt.
S Life and Sportsman.	Black Stefan.	Golden Flake.	Booklet.	Compiler.	Sickle.	Chandos *
Man on the Spot	Trigona.	Corolet.	Review Order.	Priory Park.*	Sickle.	Merchant's Flag.
Westminster Gazette	Martian.	Golden Flake.	Review Order.	Knocklong Boy.	Sickle.	Tetragynia colt.
Daily Express	Erosion; if ab., Martian.	Corolet; if ab., Belgian Boy.	Review Order, next best.	Priory Park.*	Sickle.	In Tune; if ab., Chandos.
Daily Mirror	Erosion.	Corolet.	Review Order.	Inca.	Sickle.	Merchant's Flag.
Daily Graphic	Indian Imp.	—	Review Order.	Perhaps So.	Sickle.	Tetragynia colt.
Star	Erosion.	Corolet.	Review Order.*	Perhaps So.	Sickle.	Chandos.*
Evening News	Trigona.	Freshwoman.	Glen Rosa	Scherzo* if ab., Mermaid.	Sickle.*	Sporting Kit.
Evening Standard	Martian.	Stonette.	Caissot.	Monk's Way.	Sickle.	Chandos.
Times	Bachelor's Fate; if ab., Erosion.	Stonette.	Booklet.	Knocklong Boy.	Sickle.	Chandos.

LANARK.

PROGRAMME AND SELECTIONS.

he Scottish circuit will be continued to- with the commencement of a fixture at ark. The main attraction is the Lowther ndicap Plate, in which Dark Fox gives y to his stable companion, The Mahdi, but latter can hardly be fancied on his plays this season. Orpi runs for Bazley in eference to Sir Greysteel, but here again siderable improvement on previous outings ll have to be made. Aryan has journeyed from Hamilton Park, but may find the mpany a trifle too good, and the winner y be found in Kinloch, who ran a good e when winning the John Osborne Handi- p at Newcastle last month. Eaglesholt y be the danger. Selections:—

Apprentices Handicap—**Eagle's Corrie.**
onnington Selling—**Jingle.**
Lowther Handicap—**Kinloch.**
Cleghorn Plate—**Quibble colt.***
Houston Plate—**Lippia.**
Hyndford Plate—**Silabia.**

2.0—APPRENTICE HANDICAP PLATE of 150 sovs. Second receives 10 sovs. One mile.

	Age.	st.	lb.
OWLET (Mr. T. Queen)......Elsey	6	7	10
NMOUTH (Mr. H. Pickles)......Bazley	5	7	10
E UNDISCOVERED (Mr. D. McLaren) Wyllie	4	7	9
GLE'S CORRIE (Mrs. F. Smith) (10lb. ex.) J. Lyall	3	7	6
REST MONK (Sir L. Green) (7lb. ex.) Hammett	3	7	5
MATOI (Mrs. Hartigan)...M. Hartigan	4	7	0
ONMONGER (Mr. J. Thompson) Peacock	4	6	9
HELDRAKE (Capt. H. Whitworth) J. Renwick	3	6	7
K BRIDGE (Mr. J. Bell-Irving) R. Armstrong	3	6	4
USEL (Mr. W. Wyllie)...Owner	5	6	3
(The above have arrived.)			
PRESS (Sir L. Green) (10lb. ex.) Armstrong	4	8	7
ARITIME (Mrs. E. Reynolds) G. Armstrong	6	8	0
USTAR (Mr. J. Hartley)...Bazley	a	7	11
ARFISH (Mrs. A. Bendir)...E. Harper	3	7	8
LL ALICE (Mr. E. O'Sullivan)...Owner	6	7	7
SNOWS (Mr. H. Dorrington)...Peacock	3	6	10
ILLOW PATTERN (Sir G. Renwick) W. Renwick	a	6	7
EY'S BOTTLE (Mr. R. Renton)..Owner	a	6	5
TTLE EVA'S ROSE (Mr. E. O'Sullivan) Owner	3	6	5
STERN FLOWER (Mr. J. Dugdale) Peacock	3	6	0
LD BUCCANEER (Lord Barnby) Peacock	3	6	0

2.30—DONNINGTON SELLING HANDICAP PLATE of 150 sovs. Second saves entrance. 5 f.

	Age.	st.	lb.
O EAGER (Lady Green)......Hammett	a	8	11
NGLE (Sir L. Green)......Hammett	4	8	9
LIC (Mr. H. Pickles)......Bazley	4	8	7
ORNLESS (Mr. F. Rhodes)......Flynn	6	7	11
OUBLE GIFT (Mr. T. Queen)......Elsey	5	7	10
OUNT ATHOS (Mr. W. Wyllie)...Wyllie	5	7	9
OHUN (Mr. G. Dodd)......Peacock	3	7	9
ANINE (Mrs. A. Bendir)......E. Harper	3	7	8
Y BELL (Mr. J. J. Bell-Irving) R. Armstrong	3	7	5
ONEYFLOWER (Mr. P. Ainsworth) Bazley	5	7	3
ASCINATION (Mrs. F. C. Smith) J. Lyall	3	7	2
REENSPRITE (Mrs. F. L. C. Plummer) Beaumont	3	7	1
EGOTIATE (Mr. A. L. Ormrod) M. Hartigan	4	7	1
(The above have arrived.)			
OLEIL DE NUIT (Mr. E. O'Sullivan) Owner	a	9	0
CHBERRY (Mr. G. Macbeth-Menzies) O'Sullivan	3	8	13
ROOAT (Mr. R. Hartley)......Ridley	a	8	6
ROBAMA (Mr. A. Skelton) (10lb. ex.) Owner	3	8	0
ICTORIA (Mr. F. Plummer).....Beaumont	4	7	13
(Mr. W. Dallas)......McCall	a	7	13
E BOWFUL (Mrs. F. Smith)..J. Lyall	3	7	11
NNIE EILEEN (Mr. J. McLean)..Owner	3	7	9
OSS APPEAL (Mr. L. A. Oppenheim) Barthropp	4	7	7
ILLIAM'S MOUNT (Mr. F. Armstrong) Owner	3	7	7
LGATE (Mr. A. Andrews) J. L. Ward	3	7	7
OM BONNICK (Mr. G. Baxter) Skelton	3	7	6
TTLE SNOOKS (Mr. D. McKechnie) Elsey	5	7	6
OTLESS (Mr. J. McLean)...McGuigan	3	7	4
OUGLAS HEART (Mr. W. F. Egerton) R. Armstrong	3	7	2
LITA (Mr. W. Riley Smith)...Peacock	6	7	1
N GOLD (Mr. G. Gunter)......Owner	5	7	1
EEN HOOP (Mr. J. McCall)......Owner	4	7	1
ENSIMMON (Capt. A. Stanley Wilson) Storie	5	7	1
REEN LEAF (Mrs. M. C. O'Brien) Yapp	4	7	1

3.0—LOWTHER HANDICAP PLATE of 300 sovs. Second receives 30 sovs. and third 20 sovs. 1½ m.

	Age.	st.	lb.
R GREYSTEEL (Mr. J. Hartley) Bazley	a	9	7
ARK FOX (Sir Charles Hyde)...Scobie	a	9	5
OTTINGHAM (Mr. G. Macbeth-Menzies) O'Sullivan	6	9	3
OSIE (Mrs R. Don)......Thomson	6	9	3
RPI (Mrs. H. D. Bazley)......Bazley	a	8	7
RYAN (Mrs. A. Bendir) (7lb. ex.) E. Harper	3	8	3
OVO MONASTE (Sir George Renwick) J. Renwick	4	7	12
HE MAHDI (Sir Charles Hyde)...Scobie	4	7	11
BELGIAN BOY (Mr. L. A. Oppenheim) Barthropp	a	7	9
EAGLESHOLT (Mr. R. V. Hartley) Ridley	3	7	8
KINLOCH (Mr. F. Straker)......Peacock	4	7	8
TIVOLI GIRL (Mr. W. Swire) G. Armstrong	4	7	3
ROAD GAUGE (Mr. James Bell) McCall	4	7	3
EEDS ROCK (Mr. G. Macbeth-Menzies) O'Sullivan	6	7	3
OLEMBERG (Lord Lonsdale) R. Armstrong	a	7	0

Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast
COTTINGHAM ......J. Beasley	7/4
SOSIE ......Hulme	8/1
NOVO MONASTE ......H. Stone	10/1
ARYAN ......J. Doyle	9/2
THE MAHDI ......Dempsey	7/2
EAGLESHOLT ......Harding	5/1
KINLOCH ......D. Morris	7/1
BROAD GAUGE ......Glasgow	10/1
POLEMBERG ......Lindborg	10/1

3.30—CLEGHORN MAIDEN TWO-YEAR-OLD PLATE of 200 sovs. Second receives 20 sovs. and third 10 sovs. 5 f.

	st.	lb.
QUIBBLE C., by Golden Sun (Ld. Barnby) M. Vasey	8	12
ALL BROWN (Mr. J. J. Bell-Irving) R. Armstrong	8	12
GREY SQUIRREL (Col. B. C. Fairfax) J. Renwick	8	12
INSIVE F., by Russley (Sir Thomas Dixon) Peacock	8	9
FAIRHOLME (Lady Green) ...... Hammett	8	9
ULPECULA (Ld. Lonsdale) R. Armstrong	8	9
B.C. (Mr. A. E. McKinlay) Elsey	8	9
RIPPLING BECK (Capt. A. Stanley Wilson) Storie	8	9
(The above have arrived.)		
ARTONA F., by Spion Kop (Lady Alwyne Compton Vyner) ...... Cole	9	5
THE VEIL (Sir R. W. B. Jardine) R. W. Colling	9	2
RBED (Mr. A. E. McKinlay) ...... Elsey	8	12
IL SORISO DE SABATO (Mr. J. McLean) McGuigan	8	12
TOURING PRINCE (Capt. A. Stanley Wilson) Storie	8	12
OYDS HALL (Mr. L. Brook) ... T. Green	8	9
OCTILUCE (Mr. L. S. Gray) ... S. Darling	8	9
EAGLE (Ld. Hamilton of Dalzell) Peacock	8	9
BATTALION (Mr. G. F. X. Hartigan) M. Hartigan	8	9
GOLDEN HARVEST (Sir R. W. B. Jardine) R. W. Colling	8	9
PERFECT LADY (Mr. R. Lumsden) Binnie	8	9
HOON (Mr. G. Macbeth-Menzies) O'Sullivan	8	9
GLENCAIRD (Mr. J. McGuigan) ... Owner	8	9
BONNIE LASSIE (Mr. J. J. Paterson) Baird	8	9
LADY OF SHALOT (Mr. W. B. Purefoy) E. Harper	8	9
HESPERIDES (Mr. G. B. Robinson) Flynn	8	9
WELL COPPED (Sir Victor Sassoon) Crawford	8	9
NCEST (Mr. W. J. Soutar) ...... Beaumont	8	9
UMPENDER (Col. R. W. Tweedie) W. Waugh	8	9
DOLLY DIMPLES (Mr. James White) O'Sullivan	8	9

4.0—HOUSTON MAIDEN HANDICAP PLATE of 200 sovs. Second receives 15 sovs. and third 5 sovs. 7 f.

	Age.	st.	lb.
EMERALD GREEN (Capt. F. Forester) E. Harper	3	8	7
MARGARINE (Mrs. A. E. Aston) Bazley	4	8	7
CELIBATAIRE (Mr. A. K. Macomber) S. Darling	3	8	4
LIPPIA (Mr. E. Sandeman) ......Elsey	3	8	2
SHELDRAKE (Capt. H. Whitworth) J. Renwick	3	8	0
BERRYBOY (Mr. G. Johnstone) ..Hogg	3	7	12
OMO (Sir T. Dixon) ......Peacock	3	7	6
(The above have arrived.)			
FOUNDATION STONE (Mr. H. Pulitzer) S. Darling	3	8	13
RENDEZVOUS (Mr. A. Boazman) Peacock	5	8	7
SSANDAR (Mrs. F. C. Smith) J. Lyall	3	8	3
VICTORIA (Mr. Plummer) ....Beaumont	4	8	2
ICTIS (Sir Ernest Tate) ......Peacock	3	8	0
OVELLO (Mr. J. J. Paterson) Baird	3	7	12
LADY MARCUS (Mr. A. H. Macaulay) J. Burns	3	7	11
ALEWATER (Mr. A. B. Tully) ..Owner	4	7	10
USHAWAY (Capt. A. S. Wilson) Storie	3	7	10
LITTLE EVA'S ROSE (Mr. E. T. O'Sullivan) ......Owner	3	7	10
INNIE HA HA (Mr. J. Kinney) Yapp	3	7	9
BRACADABRA (Miss Lily McLaughlin) J. Burns	3	7	5
IRISH WHISKEY (Mr. J. McGuigan) Owner	4	7	3
HECTIC DAY (Mr. G. Dick) ..Beaumont	3	7	1
ETTY LOMOND (Mr. T. Green) Owner	4	7	0

4.30—HYNDFORD PLATE of 150 sovs. Second receives 10 sovs. and third 5 sovs. 1½ m.

	Age	st.	lb.
SCOTCH TROUT (Sir E. Hanmer) Peacock	3	8	5
FOREST MONK (Sir L. Green) Hammett	3	8	5
SILABIA (Lord Barnby) ...M. Vasey	3	7	11
ENNA GIRL (Mr. H. Gray) S. Darling	3	7	11
FRUCTIDOR (Mr. W. Purefoy) ...Harper	3	7	4
(The above have arrived.)			
DARNHOLME (Mrs. B. C. Fairfax) J. Renwick	5	9	8
STAR OF DESTINY (Sir E. Tate) Peacock	5	8	8
LEEDS ROCK (Mr. G. Macbeth-Menzies) O'Sullivan	6	8	4
OBOE (Mr. J. St. V. Fox) ......Elsey	3	8	2
ANNOCK HILL (Mr. T. Arthur) Binnie	3	7	7
SPEARDALE (Mr. T. Davidson) McCall	3	7	4
CALYX (Lord Durham) ......P. Peck	4	7	4
MANTIVO G., by Etheric (Mr. J. R. Scott) ...... Private	3	7	4
MISS STEALTH (Mr. White) O'Sullivan	3	7	4

POLO.

FIXTURE.

At the A.I.P.C. ground, Phœnix Park, to-morrow evening at 4.30 Raglans meet Earlfield. Teams—Raglans—Messrs. P. D. Cullinan, J. Johnston, J. A. B. Trench and W. Fitzgerald. Earlfield—Sir L. Goulding, Mr. J. P. A. Larmie, Major-General Hogan, and Mr. T. Thompson. Practice at 5.30

CRICKET.

CHAMPIONS' TENTH WIN.

WHYSALL SCORES TWO CENTURIES FOR NOTTS.

Yorkshire, who defeated Middlesex by ten wickets, gained their tenth win of the season. Middlesex had not previously met with defeat in a championship match this season.

Playing at Perth, the Australians had an easy win in the one-day match against Eastern Districts of Scotland.

After a fluctuating day's cricket at Brighton Hampshire were successful by 82 runs after extra time.

There was a tame finish to the match at Trent Bridge, which ended in a draw, Gloucester securing points for a first innings lead, but Whysall had previously equalled the achievement of Jones, Shrewsbury, Hardstaff, and G. Gunn in scoring two separate hundreds in the game for Notts.

On a rain damaged pitch Worcestershire were always fighting an uphill battle against Warwickshire on the last day at Edgbaston, being disposed of in three hours and twenty minutes for 114 runs, and were beaten by an innings and 255 runs.

Offering a stubborn resistance at one stage in their second innings when G. R. Jackson and Bowden were together, Derbyshire suffered collapse after lunch at Leicester, and were beaten by an innings and 51 runs.

Whatever chance Essex had of driving home the advantage they had gained on the second day over Lancashire at Nelson was yesterday nullified by heavy rain during the night. The pitch was in a very bad state, and after waiting until a quarter past two it was decided to abandon the match as a draw. Essex take three points for a lead on the first innings.

Surrey had to be content with points for the first innings lead over Kent at Maidstone. The match ended in a draw at five o'clock.

The Services match at Lord's ended before lunch, the Army gaining a handsome victory by ten wickets. They had shown superior form on the previous days, and when rain stopped play on Monday afternoon the Navy, with half their wickets down a second time, required 27 to avoid defeat in an innings. Three more wickets fell before the arrears were cleared off, Bartley and Joy adding 26, and then the innings was ended quickly, and the Army required no more than 25 runs to win. Captain Wilkinson and Major Tudor hit these off, the winning stroke being a cut to the boundary by Wilkinson.

EASTERN DISTRICTS V. AUSTRALIANS.

At Perth. One day match. Score:—

EASTERN DISTRICTS.

Claughton c Mailey b Everett	14	P. L. Gardner c Mailey b Richardson	0
D. S. Weir c Ellis b Everett	6	W. Anderson b Mailey	2
J. Geive b Everett	7	R. W. Sievewright not out	10
Dr. Melville c Everett b Richardson	33	A. R. Simpson c Ellis b Mailey	1
Marshall b Mailey	30	Extras	13
J. E. Ferguson l.b.w. b Richardson	3		
H. F. T. Heath b Richardson	1	Total	120

Bowling.—Everett, 3 for 20; Ryder, 0 for 5; Mailey, 3 for 56; Richardson, 4 for 23; Ponsford, 0 for 5.

AUSTRALIANS.

A. J. Richardson c Ferguson b Marshall	9	W. A. Oldfield c and b Heath	42
J. M. Taylor b Anderson	53	T. J. E. Andrews l.b.w. b Marshall	65
J. Ryder c and b Sievewright	1	W. H. Ponsford not out	10
J. L. Ellis c Ferguson b Marshall	8	Extras	18
		Total (6 wkts.)	206

Did not bat—W. Bardsley, C. G. Macartney, A. A. Mailey, and S. C. Everett.

Bowling.—Marshall, 3 for 29; Sievewright, 1 for 39; Heath, 1 for 48; Claughton, 0 for 26; Anderson, 1 for 26; Weir, 0 for 20.

YORKSHIRE V. MIDDLESEX.

At Bradford. Yorkshire won by 10 wickets. Score:—

MIDDLESEX.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Hearne c Macaulay b Kilner	134	c Robinson b Kilner	30
Lee c Holmes b Macaulay	20	c Holmes b Kilner	14
C. N. Bruce b Macaulay	15	c Holmes b Kilner	16
Hendren c Dolphin b Robinson	2	st Dolphin b Kilner	8
G. O. Allen l.b.w. b Oldroyd	80	c Holmes b Kilner	0
H. J. Enthoven run out	10	l.b.w. b Rhodes	4
C. Robson b Waddington	3	not out	4
N. Haig c and b Waddington	8	c Holmes b Rhodes	0
F. T. Mann b Waddington	4	b Kilner	1
Murrell b Kilner	0	c Sutcliffe b Kilner	0
Durston not out	2	c Oldroyd b Kilner	1
Extras	16	Extras	2
Total	295	Total	80

Bowling.—First Innings—Robinson, 1 for 71; Macaulay, 2 for 77; Kilner, 2 for 77; Waddington, 3 for 18; Rhodes, 0 for 15; Oldroyd, 1 for 21. Second Innings—Robinson, 0 for 9; Macaulay, 0 for 16; Kilner, 8 for 40; Waddington, 0 for 5; Rhodes, 2 for 8.

YORKSHIRE.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Holmes c Enthoven b Durston	128		
Sutcliffe c Enthoven b Haig	4		
Oldroyd c Hendren b Allen	38		
Leyland l.b.w. b Enthoven	67		
Kilner c Mann b Enthoven	44		
Rhodes run out	26		
Robinson c Mann b Haig	20		
Macaulay c Durston b Haig	7		
Waddington c Murrell b Haig	0	not out	6
Major Lupton c Enthoven b Haig	5		
Dolphin not out	8	not out	0
Extras	24		
Total	371	Total (no wkt.)	6

Bowling.—First Innings—Haig, 5 for 108; Durston, 1 for 71; Hearne, 0 for 65; Enthoven, 2 for 34; Allen, 1 for 40; Lee, 0 for 29.

NOTTS V. GLOUCESTERSHIRE.

At Trent Bridge. A draw. Score:—

NOTTS.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Whysall c Bloodworth b Sinfield	100	not out	167
Walker c Smith b Goddard	8	c sub. b Goddard	107
Shipston c Parker b Wedel	4		
Payton c Smith b Goddard	32	c Seabrook b Goddard	17
Lilley l.b.w b Wedel	7		
S. Staples c Mills b Sinfield	46	st Smith b Parker	31
A. Staples c Sinfield b Goddard	7	st Smith b Parker	8
L. Kirk not out	47	st Smith b Parker	0
Larwood c Mills b Sinfield	0		
Barratt c Bloodworth b Sinfield	35		
Richmond c Smith b Sinfield	8		
Extras	7	Extras	3
Total	301	Total (5 wkts.)	*333

Bowling.—First Innings—Goddard, 3 for 54; Parker, 0 for 52; Wedel, 2 for 72; Mills, 0 for 12; Sinfield, 5 for 104. Second Innings—Sinfield, 0 for 56; Goddard, 2 for 109; Wedel, 0 for 37; Mills, 0 for 56; Parker, 3 for 72.

GLOUCESTERSHIRE.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Dipper b Larwood	86	not out	84
Lt.-Col. D. C. Robinson b Larwood	26	b Larwood	9
Smith l.b.w. b Richmond	5	c A. Staples b Richmond	51
Sinfield not out	112	c Lilley b Barratt	13
F. J. Seabrook b Richmond	2		
Parker b S. Staples	57	not out	0
Bloodworth c Larwood b S. Staples	8		
W. H. Rowlands b A. Staples	17		
Mills c S. Staples b Larwood	23		
Goddard b Richmond	0		
G. A. Wedel b Larwood	5		
Extras	20	Extras	6
Total	380	Total (3 wkts.)	163

Bowling.—First Innings—Barratt, 0 for 30; Larwood, 4 for 82; Richmond, 3 for 77; S. Staples, 2 for 96; A. Staples, 1 for 75. Second Innings—Larwood, 1 for 37; S. Staples, 0 for 33; Barratt, 1 for 23; Richmond, 1 for 38; A. Staples, 0 for 26.

KENT V. SURREY.

At Maidstone. A draw. Score:—

KENT.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Hardinge b Holmes	1	c Strudwick b Peach	40
Ashdown c Shepherd b Peach	88	not out	102
Seymour b Holmes	1	not out	22
Woolley l.b.w. b Shepherd	25		
A. P. F. Chapman c Hobbs b Peach	41		
G. E. B. Legge l.b.w. b Fenley	8		
Collins c Jardine b Peach	90		
Hubble b Peach	61		
R. G. H. Lowe not out	9		
Wright b Peach	9		
Freeman b Peach	0		
Extras	23	Extras	6
Total	356	Total (1 wkt.)	170

Bowling.—First Innings—Peach, 6 for 67; Shepherd, 1 for 65; Fenley, 1 for 90; Holmes, 2 for 44; Fender, 1 for 85. Second Innings—Peach, 1 for 32; Holmes, 0 for 29; Fender, 0 for 16; Shepherd, 0 for 26; Sandham, 0 for 22; Jardine, 0 for 22; Jeacocke, 0 for 5; Ducat, 0 for 10.

SURREY—First Innings.

Hobbs c Hardinge b Woolley	77	E. R. T. Holmes st Hubble b Lowe	62
Sandham c Hubble b Woolley	49	P. G. H. Fender b Wright	42
A. Jeacocke c Legge b Hardinge	76	Peach run out	22
Shepherd b Woolley	28	Strudwick c Ashdown b Wright	1
D. R. Jardine c Hubble b Ashdown	23	Fenley not out	0
Ducat c Seymour b Collins	44	Extras	10
		Total	434

Bowling.—First Innings—Wright, 2 for 70; Ashdown, 1 for 29; Freeman, 0 for 120; Woolley, 3 for 136; Lowe, 1 for 22; Hardinge, 1 for 26; Collins, 1 for 21.

WARWICKSHIRE V. WORCESTERSHIRE.

At Birmingham. Warwickshire won by an innings and 255 runs. Score:—

WORCESTERSHIRE.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Root c Peare b Calthorpe	9	c Mayer b Peare	8
Wright c Parsons b Mayer	35	c Parsons b Wyatt	1
Tarbox c Calthorpe b Quaife	14	c Peare b Fox	13
Fox b Quaife	32	c Parsons b Fox	7
M. K. Foster c Kilner b Mayer	8	c Santall b Fox	11
H. O. Hopkins c Smith b Mayer	1	b Wyatt	9
G. F. Abell b Mayer	2	c Fox b Wyatt	0
W. H. Shakespeare b Mayer	14	c Calthorpe b Fox	16
Rogers c Smith b Quaife	3	b Wyatt	22
Bowles c Bates b Quaife	5	c Mayer b Quaife	7
Wilson not out	3	not out	6
Extras	8	Extras	14
Total	134	Total	114

Bowling.—First Innings—Wyatt, 0 for 27; Calthorpe, 1 for 18; Mayer, 5 for 34; Quaife, 4 for 47. Second Innings—Wyatt, 4 for 42; Calthorpe, 0 for 5; Santall, 0 for 6; Mayer, 0 for 4; Peare, 1 for 4; Quaife, 1 for 12; Fox, 4 for 27.

WARWICKSHIRE—First Innings.

Kilner b Root	121	Smith c and b Tarbox	0
R. E. S. Wyatt c Tarbox b Bowles	90	Hon. F. S. G. Calthorpe c Foster b Tarbox	12
Bates c Tarbox b Wilson	65	Fox c Fox b Bowles	8
W. G. Quaife l.b.w. b Wilson	53	Mayer c Hopkins b Bowles	4
Parsons c Foster b Tarbox	74	Peare not out	2
Santall c Shakespeare b Tarbox	46	Extras	28
		Total	503

Bowling.—First Innings—Root, 1 for 103; Wilson, 2 for 76; Tarbox, 4 for 108; Rogers, 0 for 20; Bowles, 3 for 111; Fox, 0 for 42; Wright, 0 for 15.

LEICESTERSHIRE V. DERBYSHIRE.

At Leicester. Leicestershire won by an innings and 51 runs. Score:—

DERBYSHIRE.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Lee b Astill	4	c Dawson b Astill	11
Bowden st Sidwell b Lord	70	c Bale b Taylor	38
Townsend l.b.w. b Bale	3	b Astill	4
G. R. Jackson run out	20	c Fowke b Astill	56
Hutchinson b Astill	4	c sub. b Lord	0
Storer b Lord	60	c Bale b Smith	16
E. F. Loney c Sidwell b Astill	14	not out	8
Worthington c and b Lord	0	c Sidwell b Bale	7
A. H. Jackson b Lord	6	c Taylor b Bale	0
Elliott c Hayes b Lord	6	c and b Bale	0
Shardlow not out	3	l.b.w. b Astill	0
Extras	18	Extras	21
Total	209	Total	161

Bowling.—First Innings—Shipman, 0 for 25; Astill, 3 for 39; Bale, 1 for 18; Hayes, 0 for 26; Lord, 5 for 40; Smith, 0 for 17; Taylor, 0 for 5. Second Innings—Astill, 4 for 44; Smith, 1 for 24; Bale, 3 for 18; Lord, 1 for 25; Hayes, 0 for 13; Taylor, 1 for 16.

LEICESTERSHIRE—First Innings.

Berry c Worthington b Shardlow	57	Shipman c Shardlow b Storer	1
E. W. Dawson b Jackson	21	Maj. C. H. Fowke c Elliott b Lee	75
Hayes c Shardlow b Lee	21	Sidwell st Elliott b Lee	0
C. H. Taylor c G. R. Jackson b Loney	107	Smith not out	5
Lord c Loney b Storer	44	Bale st Elliott b Lee	0
Astill c and b Lee	66	Extras	23
		Total	420

Bowling.—First Innings—Worthington, 0 for 45; Shardlow, 0 for 67; Storer, 2 for 95; A. Jackson, 1 for 54; Lee, 5 for 57; Loney, 1 for 39; Townsend, 0 for 24; Hutchinson, 0 for 15.

SUSSEX V. HAMPSHIRE.

At Brighton. Hampshire won by 82 runs. Score:—

HAMPSHIRE.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Brown c Bowley b Tate	41	c Cornford b Tate	33
Newman run out	18	c Wensley b Tate	30
Bowell l.b.w. b Tate	4	st Cornford b Cox	36
Mead b Bowley	101	c Wensley b A. E. Gilligan	44
A. K. Judd c Gibson b Tate	17	b Tate	0
C. P. Brutton b Tate	4	b Tate	0
L. H. Tennyson c Gibson b Tate	55	c A. E. Gilligan b Gibson	43
Kennedy c A. H. Gilligan b Tate	24	c Bowley b A. E. Gilligan	2
W. N. M'Bride c sub. b Bowley	10	not out	3
Livsey c Gibson b Tate	0		
Boyes not out	1		
Extras	18	Extras	7
Total	274	Total (8 wkts.)	*198

*Innings declared.

Bowling.—First Innings—Tate, 7 for 89; Wensley, 0 for 40; Gibson, 0 for 44; Cox, 0 for 43; Bowley, 2 for 32; E. Gilligan, 0 for 8. Second Innings—A. E. R. Gilligan, 2 for 54; Gibson, 1 for 17; Tate, 4 for 44; Wensley, 0 for 31; Cox, 1 for 38; Bowley, 0 for 14.

SUSSEX.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Bowley c and b Newman	15	c Bowell b Newman	1
Cornford c Kennedy b Newman	0	b Kennedy	2
K. S. Duleepsinhji c M'Bride b Brown	115	c Boyes b Newman	9
Tate c Livsey b Brown	27	c Mead b Boyes	45
Wensley st Livsey b Newman	13	c Brown b Boyes	5
Langridge b Newman	0	c Tennyson b Newman	8
Cox b Newman	0	l.b.w. b Kennedy	9
A. E. R. Gilligan c Brown b Newman	13	c Bowell b Boyes	5
A. H. Gilligan c Boyes b Newman	2	b Boyes	4
C. H. Gibson c Judd b Brown	20	not out	49
J. Parks not out	4	c Kennedy b Boyes	21
Extras	5	Extras	18
Total	214	Total	175

Bowling.—First Innings—Kennedy, 0 for 21; Newman, 7 for 79; Boyes, 0 for 24; M'Bride, 0 for 14; Mead, 0 for 10; Brown, 3 for 61. Second Innings—Kennedy, 2 for 36; Newman, 3 for 74; Boyes, 5 for 38; Brown, 0 for 9; M'Bride, 0 for 1.

LEINSTER 1st XI. (v. Phœnix, at Rathmines, 2.30)—J. F. Kempster (captain), C. M. Hill, R. T. Sheppard, J. A. O'Connor, C. Nash, B. J. O'Kelly, T. Doody, R. D. Joynt, M. J. Burke, J. R. Graham, T. S. Hession.

ROYAL NAVY V. ARMY.

At Lord's. The Army won by 10 wickets. Score:—

ROYAL NAVY.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Lt.-Cdr. O. W. Cornwallis c Melsome b H.-Davies	4	st Stanyforth b Melsome	31
Maj. R. A. Brooks c Carr b Joy	46	c Wilkinson b Melsome	33
Lt. R. J. Shaw b Joy	61	c and b Melsome	4
Mid. K. A. Sellar b Joy	13	b Melsome	4
Lt. S. Boucher c Mackessack b Melsome	14	b H.-Davies	1
Lt.-Cdr. B. C. Brooke l.b.w. b H.-Davies	19	b H.-Davies	7
Lt.-Cdr. E. L. Bartley hit wkt. b Mackessack	14	not out	31
Cdr. J. N. Pelly b Mackessack	0	c Joy b Melsome	0
Cdr. S. S. Bonham-Carter b Mackessack	13	c Stanyforth b Joy	12
Lt. C. R. Garrett not out	15	c and b Melsome	7
S.-P.-Officer E. J. Pain c Leggatt b H.-Davies	17	c Stanyforth b Mackessack	1
Extras	38	Extras	15
Total	249	Total	151

THE ARMY.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Capt. A. C. Wilkinson c and b Pain	41	not out	14
Maj. C. P. Tudor c Brooke b Garrett	39	not out	12
Lt. W. M. Leggatt b Pain	29		
Lt. L. Williams c Brooks b Garrett	1		
Capt. J. L. Carr c and b Pain	40		
Lt. G. J. Bryan c Shaw b Boucher	82		
Capt. R. C. G. Joy c Brooks b Brooke	19		
Capt. R. T. Stanyforth l.b.w. b Brooks	47		
Capt. P. Havelock-Davies c Brooke b Boucher	22		
Lt. R. G. W. Melsome c Brooke b Garrett	12		
Lt. K. Mackessack not out	20		
Extras	24		
Total	376	Total (no wkt.)	26

TEST MATCH PLAYERS RESTING.

Smith, who played in 1919, and Crawford will take the places of Sutcliffe and Kilner in the Yorkshire side to meet Hampshire at Bournemouth to-day, the Test Match players being rested. Hobbs will not be included in the Surrey team to oppose Sussex at Eastbourne.

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES.

Phœnix v. Leinster. Phœnix Park.
Monkstown 2nd v. Jacobs 2nd. Monkstown.
Sandymount 3rd v. C.Y.M.S. 2nd. Sandymount road.
Y.M.C.A. v. Leinster 3rd. Terenure.
Carlisle v. Pembroke 3rd. Terenure.
St. Columba's P. and P. v. Mr. E. Stanley's XI. Rathfarnham.

Mr. Stanley's XI.—J. A. O'Donnell (capt.), E. Collins, H. G. Cuthbert, G. A. Dowling, F. W. Fryer, J. Hutson, A. J. Kennedy, P. B. Kenny, R. P. McGarrigle, J. Shiels, A. N. Other.

GOLF.

CUP SEMI-FINALS.

PORTMARNOCK BEATEN BY HERMITAGE.

DUN LAOGHAIRE IN THE FINAL.

In a most exciting finish the Hermitage team beat Portmarnock in the semi-final stage of the Senior Cup last evening at Portmarnock, and, with Dun Laoghaire victorious over the Castle, an interesting final is listed for to-day at five o'clock.

The issue in the match between the home players and Hermitage depended on the last pair, J. Nugent and P. J. Gillespie, though J. J. McGowran, when dormy 3 on H. E. Bell, had a splendid chance of consolidating the position of the Lucan men, which he failed to accept, and was beaten on the 19th green. Nugent, however, decided the match for his side by a 2 and 1 win. The Dun Laoghaire team had an easier passage to the last round, winning four matches and halving one.

H. M. Cairnes had little or none of the luck in his match with Joseph Gorry on the way out. The Hermitage man may have been fortunate in halving the second in 4, after hitting his approach into the cross bunker, and over the third green with his second he chipped back, hit the back of the hole, and laid a dead stymie, so that Cairnes had no chance of getting a 3, which seemed possible after a perfect second shot to near the hole. Cairnes just failed with a putt for the hole at the fourth, and was two down at the turn, Gorry, who was putting well, holing a good one for 4 at the ninth, to which he had to play his mashie for the second from the rough. The Portmarnock man never recovered the lost ground, and was beaten 4 and 3. E. F. Kilduff had a hard match with T. Cormack, which went to the 17th, though Kilduff was not driving well, and Major Boyd, three up at the turn on James Fielding, after starting with five 4's, won by 5 and 4.

J. L. Crabbe won the first match for Dun Laoghaire by 5 and 4, turning 5 up on E. P. O'Toole, but W. G. McConnell lost to W. Smyth on the home green. The Castle man started finely, being one under fours for the first five holes. At the turn he was 3 up, and, dormy one, he had an excellent 4 for the match on the 18th. Results:—

HERMITAGE.		PORTMARNOCK.	
J. Gorry, 4 and 3	1	H. M. Cairnes	0
T. Cormack	0	E. Kilduff, 2 and 1	1
J. Fielding	0	H. A. Boyd, 5 and 4	1
J. J. M'Gowran	0	H. E. Bell, at 19th	1
J. S. Scott, 2 up	1	C. W. Blood-Smyth	0
C. Hames, 4 and 3	1	W. O'Brien	0
J. Nugent, 2 and 1	1	J. Gillespie	0
	4		3

DUN LAOGHAIRE.		CASTLE.	
J. L. Crabbe, 5 and 4	1	E. P. O'Toole	0
W. G. M'Connell	0	W. Smyth, 2 up	1
T. F. Jameson, at 19th	1	J. A. Henry	0
H. J. Brown, 4 and 3	1	F. W. May	0
R. H. Hunter, 4 and 3	1	C. Clifton	0
J. C. Redmond	½	G. Malcolm	½
G. Hamlet	0	G. B. Butler, 2 up	1
	4½		2½

NEWLANDS.—Vice-President's prize—Won by A. T. Mathews, 72 net. Tied for second and third prizes, Captain Stapleton, P. Halton, and Major-General Cronin, 74 net. Play-off for second and third prizes Monday, 26th inst.—Captain Stapleton v. Marker; P. Halton v. Major-General Cronin. To-day—Competition, 18 holes, strokes. Post entries. Frequent draws. Ladies' Branch.—Saturday next—Secretary's prize, 18 holes, strokes. Frequent draws.

CLONTARF.—Monthly medals—Class I.—T. A. Healy (7), 72. Class II.—J. Butler (18), 73; P. J. Thunder (18), 73. A tie.

RAILWAY AND STEAM PACKET G.S.—The competition for the prize presented by Mr. M'Dowell was played over the Portmarnock course (by kind permission), when the three best cards returned:—W. A. Daish, 87 (16), 71; S. A. Fitzgerald, 92 (9), 83; J. A. Webb, 98 (13), 85.

RATHFARNHAM.—Elvery's prize—J. R. M'Connell, 86 (18), 68; H. Crimplin, 86 (17), 69; M. A. Smyth, 86 (14), 72; T. Jackson, 88 (16), 72.

DELGANY.—Vice-President prizes. Result—T. V. Davy (10) and Dr. W. R. Cussen (24), 9 up; A. G. S. Evans (9) and E. L. Evans (20), 6 up.

KILLINEY.—Mr. Dan Callanan's prize—W. A. Riggs (18), 69; J. Turner Huggard (18), 72.

SUTTON.—Ladies' Section. To-day, prize presented by Messrs. Elvery and Co., 18 holes, strokes. Usual draws.

HOWTH.—Friday, 23rd—Gately Cup, 16 to qualify. Draws off 3.30, 5.0 and 6.0 trains. Ladies' Cup—Won by Miss H. Magwood; runner-up, Miss O'Donohoe. July Medal—Won by Miss Sheridan (30), 79; Miss Fitzmaurice and Miss L. Magwood qualified.

GRANGE (Ladies' Section).—To-morrow—Open foursomes (Scotch), bogey; arrange opponents. Afternoon—Putting competitions and nine-hole sweepstakes. 'Bus leaves D'Olier street every eighty minutes throughout the day.

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Eclectic Competition. Open.
Knox Challenge Cup (Ladies). Open.
Burns-Lindow Challenge Cup (Ladies). Open.
Moy Cup (Open) (Mixed Foursomes).
SOUTH OF IRELAND CHAMPIONSHIP WEEK—MONDAY, AUGUST 9th.
CHAMPIONSHIP STROKE COMPETITION. Open.
CHAMPIONSHIP BOGEY COMPETITION. Open.
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YACHTING.

KINGSTOWN ROYAL ST. GEORGE Y.C. REGATTA TO-DAY.

The manner in which the weather picked up yesterday, the reappearance then of the sun to-day, the grand breeze which was blowing, made the best of omens for to-day's fixture at Kingstown, viz.—the Regatta of the Royal St. George Y.C. Of course, one will miss at it the presence of the big boats, which are now on their way south, but in their place there is a sporting fleet of yachts of all sizes, and a most interesting and pleasant afternoon is, therefore, assured.

On the sailing programme every class of yacht or sail boat on the coast is catered for, and large starts are provided in the handicap races for yachts over 10 tons and under respectively. In the larger division, Cariba, Lady Edith, Verve, Kismet, Espanola, will renew the rivalry they brought recently from Dublin Bay to the Clyde and Belfast Lough, and now back again, and to-day they will be reinforced by Mavourneen and Sheevra. The match, therefore, will be one of as smart a division of handicap yachts as can be found anywhere.

The under 10 tons division may possibly be one of the sights of the regatta. It takes in the small cruisers of Howth, Kingstown and Seapoint Clubs, and must have been a bit of a puzzle to the handicapping committee.

That the Dublin Bay one design class, 25 footers, 21 footers, 17 footers, and water wags will be at their full strength goes without saying. Add to these races for Clontarf boats, Seapoint No. 2 class, and International 12 ft. Dinghies, and one has a programme of nine separate sailing events.

There is quite a good rowing programme also, which will open at 4.30 p.m. At the "At Home" of the Royal St. George Y.C. the Band of the Dublin Metropolitan Garda will play during the afternoon. The time table for the sailing programme is:—

	First Gun. P.M.
Race 1—Yachts over 10 and not exceeding 40 tons (handicap)	2. 0
Race 2—Dublin Bay 25 Footers	2.30
Race 3—Dublin Bay 21 Footers	2.45
Race 4—Yachts not exceeding 10 tons (h'cap)	3. 0
Race 5—Dublin Bay and Howth 17 Footers	3.15
Race 6—Seapoint No. 2 Class (h'cap.)	3.30
Race 7—Clontarf Y. and B.C. boats (h'cap)	3.45
Race 8—Water Wags	4. 0
Race 9—International 12 ft. Dinghies	4.15

CUMBERLAND CUP.

The first of the series of races for this cup was sailed at Havre on Monday. The cup, which was first competed for last year at Ryde, when the French yacht, Ailee IV., belonging to Madame V. Herriot, was successful, was presented by Lord Queenborough, the Vice-President of the Royal Thames Yacht Club, as an international trophy, and is raced for by yachts of the eight-metre class. One yacht from each country is allowed to compete, and the crew, with the exception of one paid hand, must be amateurs; and the cup goes to the country whose boat first wins three races in each of the series.

The only challenge received by the holders, the Yacht Club de France, was that of the Royal Thames Yacht Club, who selected the Morgan-Giles built Siris, belonging to General Sir Arthur Paget, V.C., to represent Great Britain. The defender was Messieurs Paul and H. Lesieurs' Coq-Gaulois, which was built at Havre in 1924. The course sailed is a distance of 19 miles.

The breeze was fresh from the north-east, but of uncertain strength, when the starting gun was fired at 10.15. The British yacht was first across, and after a beat to the first mark, had established a ten-minutes' lead. On the run to the home mark the French boat closed on the leader a little, but was unable to overtake her, Siris winning by 4 mins. 54 secs. The finishing times were:—

	H.	M.	S.
Siris (Great Britain) (winner)	4	45	41
Coq-Gaulois (France)	4	50	35

The second contest should have taken place yesterday, but owing to the high wind and rough sea it was postponed.

WATER POLO.

LENSTER V. THE REST.

In preparation for their match with Ulster on Friday, at Belfast, the Leinster team met a side captained by H. G. Ellerker, the University forward last night. C. Fagan was unable to play for Leinster, his place being taken by Heather; and W. Fagan played on The Rest team vice Stafford, who took the opposite position. Teams:—

Leinster (Whites)—T. J. Stafford; J. Beckett, C. Heather; M. A. O'Connor; N. M. Purcell, J. A. O'Connor, T. H. Dockrell.

The Rest (Blues)—W. Fagan; G. C. Higginbotham, B. G. Fagan; R. K. Boylan; R. M. Corbett, R. W. Mather.

Referee—Mr. A. J. Cullen.

The first half was chiefly conspicuous for brilliant work in goal by Fagan. Against the balance of the play, Mather, with a splendid shot, scored the first goal for the Blues. J. O'Connor missed narrowly twice, and at the other end Ellerker almost scored against heavy odds. Purcell equalised just on the whistle.

Blues were seldom in the picture in the second half. Notwithstanding fine goal-keeping by Fagan, Leinster added seven goals to their interval total, per Purcell (2), Dockrell (2), M. Connor (2) and Beckett, Whites winning easily. Result:—

Leinster	8 goals.
The Rest	1 goal.

SANDYCOVE v. CLONTARF.

The Senior and Junior matches between the above clubs will be played at Blackrock to-morrow, and not at Clontarf, as originally fixed. The return fixtures between the sides, due at Blackrock on the 30th inst., will be played at Clontarf. The members of both teams are requested to note the aleration in venues.

Sandycove 1st—W. Fagan; J. Molloy, C. Fagan; W. Fitzhugh; J. Allen (capt.), G. C. Higginbotham, W. Cremin.

Sandycove 2nd—W. McCormick; M. Monks (capt.), T. Byrne; L. Egan; L. Brady, C. P. Kenna, P. Cremin.

SQUADRON TRIAL.

LEINSTER v. ULSTER.

The Leinster branch will hold a trial to determine the team to represent Leinster v. Ulster, at Belfast, on Friday, at the Iveagh Baths, at 7 p.m. to-morrow. Candidates for places on the team should note the venue and time.

Dublin Team v. Belvedere, at 7 o'clock this evening, at Blackrock—Doherty, Kay, Hughes, Boylan, O'Byrne, J. Dowds and M. Dockrell.

BRAY S.C.—To-day (Wednesday), 3 p.m.:—Inter-Town Squadron Race, Bray v. Greystones; Juvenile 50 Yards (handicap), Ladies' 100 Yards (handicap), Mixed Diving (handicap), Men's 100 Yards (handicap).

LAWN TENNIS.

CO. DUBLIN CHAMPIONSHIPS.

There was a great improvement in the weather at Carrickmines yesterday. It was fine and bright all day, and another heavy programme was successfully completed. The wind had a good drying effect on the courts, and by the early afternoon all traces of the previous day's rain had disappeared.

A few of the matches produced tennis much above the average. In the Mixed, W. S. Keatinge and Miss N. Stoker defeated R. E. and Mrs. Tottenham in straight sets, after a match in which Miss Stoker's volleying was particularly good. T. V. Murphy and G. W. Scroope forced the pace all through against C. A. Jackson and M. H. Toppin to win the final set to love. The last named had another close match when he met M. Sugden in the Championship Singles. The latter was hitting very hard, and after he had dropped the opening set did really well to square the match at 10-8. He continued to press Toppin all through the next, but the latter's experience and steady placing brought him through at 7-5. Details:—

MEN'S SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP—Second round.

S. R. Boyd w.o. T. H. Griffen, scr.
K. A. Johnston beat T. Purefoy, 3-6, 6-4, 13-11.
P. D. McWeeney w.o., A. H. Davidson scr.
T. V. Murphy beat L. H. Scott, 6-1, 6-0.
J. Miley beat J. Maconchy, 9-7, 6-4.
G. W. Scroope beat R. E. Tottenham, 6-2, 6-2.
E. H. Porter w.o., R. W. Greene scr.
M. H. Toppin beat M. Sugden, 6-2, 8-10, 7-5.
C. A. Jackson beat R. T. Cherry, 6-0, 6-2.

Third round.

P. D. McWeeney beat T. Case, 6-3, 6-1.
K. A. Johnston beat S. R. Boyd, 6-0, 6-2.

MEN'S DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP—First round.

W. S. Keatinge and P. A. Ryan beat T. Tunney and M. Hogan, 7-5, 6-3.
A. P. Barry and R. E. Tottenham beat E. Warren and A. Robinson, 6-1, 6-4.
T. V. Murphy and G. W. Scroope beat C. A. Jackson and M. H. Toppin, 4-6, 8-6, 6-0.

WOMEN'S SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP—First round.

Mrs. Miley beat Mrs. Scroope, 6-0, 6-2.
Miss Oliver beat Miss M. Mahony, 7-5, 6-2.

Second round.

Miss Mack beat Miss D. Harrington, 6-2, 6-3.
Miss H. Wallis beat Mrs. Hillman Gray, 6-1, 6-2.
Miss N. Stoker beat Miss Prescott, 6-1, 7-5.
Mrs. Miley beat Miss N. Barton, 6-1, 3-6, 6-3.
Miss Monahan beat Mrs. Martin, 4-6, 6-4, 6-2.

MIXED DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP—First round.

P. A. Ryan and Miss A. Byrne beat A. Robinson and Mrs. Hall, 6-1, 6-4.
J. F. Miley and Mrs. Tomlinson beat K. A. Johnston and Miss O. Trayer, 6-3, 6-2.
P. Vickery and Miss Philipson beat R. B. Pringle and Miss D. Trayer, 6-1, 6-2.
R. J. Leonard and Miss H. Martin beat T. Case and Mrs. Boxwell, 6-2, 6-2.
W. S. Keatinge and Miss N. Stoker beat R. E. and Mrs. Tottenham, 6-2, 7-5.
J. K. and Mrs. Maconchy beat J. Wells and Miss Vickery, 6-2, 6-1.

MEN'S HANDICAP SINGLES (Class A)—First round—A. H. Davidson (15) beat A. St. J. Vaughan (minus 3), 6-1, 6-2; C. A. Jackson (minus 1) beat E. Warren (15), 6-3, 6-3; W. T. Deverell (15.5) beat A. A. Odlum (minus 5), 6-2, 6-4; M. D. Fox (4) beat V. D. Heuston (3), 6-8, 6-4 (ret'red); M. Sugden (2) beat G. Gillespie, 6-0, 6-1.

WOMEN'S HANDICAP SINGLES (Class A)—First round—Miss Chambers (4) beat Miss M. Gray (2), 6-3, 6-3; Mrs. Hillman Gray (3) beat Miss Tyndall (15.1), 6-4, 6-2; Miss Martin (15) beat Miss Harley (5), 4-6, 6-3, 8-6; Mrs. Tottenham (minus 1) beat Miss Oliver (4), 6-3, 6-4.

Second round.

Mrs. Holmes Wilson (15) beat Miss P. Boyd (15), 6-2, 6-1; Mrs. Hall (1) beat Miss N. Millar (15.1), 6-2, 6-1.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

11.0—K. Johnson v. P. D. McWeeney (C.); Mrs. Hall v. Miss Philipson (C.); Miss Oliver v. Mrs. Ferguson (C.); Mrs. Tomlinson and Miss Pearson v. Mrs. Tottenham and Miss Harrington (C.); Mrs. Plunkett and Miss Nolan v. Misses G. Robinson and M'Grath; Mrs. Lee and Miss Gardner v. Misses Tyndall and V. Mahony; Miss Chambers v. Miss Barton; Mrs. Martin v. Miss Bradbury.

12.0—J. Miley v. J. F. Gregg (C.); C. A. Jackson v. W. B. M'Crea (C.); Mrs. Scroope and Miss Lynch v. Mrs. Miley and Miss Stoker (C.); T. C. and Mrs. Goff v. O. Murphy and Miss P. Martin; Miss Furlong v. Miss K. Kelly; Miss E. Murphy v. Dr. M'Loughlin "D."; Miss M'Loughlin v. Miss J. Stoker "F."

1.0—Mrs. Odlum v. Miss Pearson (C.); Captain O'Brien and Mrs. H. Gray v. P. Vickery and Miss Philipson (C.); E. Porter and Miss Millar v. F. Lavery and Miss Drumgoole "B."; Misses Robinson and Bromfield v. Misses S. and E. Hogan; Misses H. and E. Wilson v. Misses G. Mahony and Moore; S. H. Hodson and Miss Byrne v. R. E. and Mrs. Tottenham; Mrs. Hall and Miss Chambers v. Mrs. Fitzherbert and Miss Mack.

2.0—Misses Wallis and Jackson v. Mrs. Rounds and Mrs. Martin (C.); Misses A. Kelly and Macnamara v. Misses Millar and J. Stoker; Misses Freeman and B. Macnamara v. Misses Fullerton and M. P. Kelly; Fox and Vickery v. Scott and C. Deverell; W. Deverell and Healy v. Sugden and Wells; Johnston and Pringle v. Myerscough and Batchen; Miss G. Burke v. Miss P. Grace; Mrs. Henshaw v. Winner of "D."; Miss L. Wilson v. Miss E. Shackleton "E."; Miss Nolan v. Winner of "F."; Mrs. Scroope and Miss Lynch v. Misses Furlong and Lyster.

3.0—M. and Miss Hogan v. D. Roantree and Miss Stokes; G. Scroope and Miss Morrogh v. S. R. Boyd and Miss Harrington; G. and Miss Mack v. J. K. and Mrs. Maconchy; Odlum and Tottenham v. M. and R. J. Leonard; Ryan and Gregg v. D. M. Wallis and O. Murphy; T. Case v. E. Davy; Miss Monahan v. Miss Prescott; Mrs. Odlum v. Miss Snowball; Miss A. Robinson v. Miss Barrington; Miss Bromfield v. Miss E. Switzer; Mrs. Hall and Miss Chambers v. Mrs. Irwin and Miss Manly (C.).

4.0—F. C. Martin and Miss Mahony v. M. D. Fox and Mrs. Martin (C.); R. J. Leonard and Miss H. Martin v. W. S. Keatinge and Miss Stoker (C.); P. A. Ryan and Miss Byrne v. J. K. and Mrs. Maconchy (C.); Pollock and Miss Switzer v. Warren and Miss Mooney "A."; R. B. Yeates and Miss Stephens v. Winner of "B."; Misses Wilson and Bethell v. Misses M'Mahon and Stokes; V. D. Heuston and Mrs. Rounds v. P. Vickery and Miss Philipson; J. Wells and Mrs. Vickery v. K. Johnston and Miss O. Trayer; G. and W. Gillespie v. Mahony and Robinson; P. F. O'Brien v. G. F. West; R. H. Healy v. W. T. Deverell; M. Sugden v. J. Tunney; Miss Sheehan v. Miss Mack; Misses M'Loughlin and Boyd v. Mrs. Tomlinson and Miss Jackson.

5.0—D. Figgis v. M. H. Toppin (C.); T. V. Murphy v. E. H. Porter (C.); Tottenham and Barry v. Miley and Meldon (C.); C. S. and Miss H. Wallis v. G. and Miss Mack (C.); S. Leonard and A. Tyndall v. C. A. Jackson and D. O'Sullivan; R. T. Cherry and M. Binchey v. T. C. Goff and W. Marshall; Misses Beavan and Snowball v. Mrs. Irwin and Miss Maxwell; Mahony v. Scally; N. M. Kennedy v. R. B. Pringle; S. R. Boyd v. J. F. Gregg; A. H. Davidson v. M'Andrew; Mrs. Barrington and Miss Marshall v. Misses D. Trayer and Dartnell; R. M. Graham v. G. W. Scroope (C.).

6.0—D. T. and Mrs. Figgis v. E. Bewley and Miss P. Boyd; P. R. Millar and Miss L. Drumgoole v. Winner of "A."; C. J. and Mrs. O'Reilly v. A. P. Barry and Miss Pearson; L. A. Meldon and Mrs. Miley v. G. Mack and Miss Mack; O. Murphy v. D. O'Sullivan; A. Tyndall v. E. Glynn; W. B. M'Crea v. M. D. Fox; J. E. Wells v. R. W. Greene; Miss Philipson v. Miss M. Mahony; Miss Ackroyd v. Winner of "E."; Mrs. Maconchy and Miss Oliver v. Mrs. Miley and Mrs. Tottenham; Mrs. Plews and Mrs. Boxwell v. Mrs. Rounds and Mrs. Martin; Misses Harley and Mooney v. Misses Harrington and N. Stoker; V. Allman Smith v. R. M. Gilbert (C.); J. Miley and Mrs. Tomlinson v. R. M. Graham and Miss Prescott (C.).

BALLYCASTLE TOURNAMENT.

COUNTY ANTRIM CHAMPIONSHIPS.

The Ballycastle Tennis Tournament, which concluded on Saturday evening, proved the most successful in the history of the promoting club. The entry, which was over 750, was a record, while the weather throughout was delightful. Details:—

CO. ANTRIM CHAMPIONSHIPS.

Gentlemen's Singles.—Final—R. Pedlow beat Victor M'Connell—6-3, 6-2, 9-7.

Gentlemen's Doubles.—Final—R. Pedlow and J. H. Moore beat W. R. Knox and J. G. Colville—6-1, 6-2, 6-1.

Ladies' Singles.—Final—Miss B. Gardiner beat Miss Thornley—6-1, 8-6.

Ladies' Doubles.—Final—Mrs. Dickie and Miss Fleming beat Miss C. Pedlow and Mrs. Darling—6-2, 3-6, 7-5.

Mixed Doubles.—Final—H. Lecky and Miss Fleming beat T. B. Barnes and Miss Thornley—6-8, 6-4, 6-2.

Gentlemen's Singles Handicap.—Final—J. T. Dowling beat W. R. Simms—6-3, 6-4.

Gentlemen's Doubles Handicap.—Final—J. A. Davidson and S. M'Vicker beat L. Waldron and T. Dowling—6-1, 3-6, 6-3.

Ladies' Singles Handicap.—Class A—Final—Mrs. Darling beat Miss Erskine—6-2, 6-2.

Class B.—Final—Miss Belford beat Miss D. Webb—6-4, 6-3.

Ladies' Doubles Handicap.—Final—Mrs. Morris and Miss Monypenny beat Miss Pedlow and Miss Sproule—6-3, 3-6, 6-2.

Mixed Doubles Handicap.—Class A—Final—C. C. Gotto and Miss Monypenny beat Victor M'Connell and Mrs. Reeves.

Class B.—Major Allen and Miss S. Young beat C. R. C. Leech and Miss Hezlet—7-5, 6-4.

KENILWORTH.—The finals of the annual tournament will be held on Saturday next, 24th inst.

BRAY OPEN TOURNAMENT.
SATURDAY, AUGUST 7th, to SATURDAY, AUGUST 14th.
Entries for above close at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, August 4th. For particulars and entry forms apply to the Hon. Secretary, 13 Galtrim road, Bray.—(Advt.)

JUVENILE TOURNAMENT.
A Juvenile Tournament, played on the American system, for players under the age of 16 on September 1st, will be held on the grounds of the Co. Wicklow Lawn Tennis Club, Bray, on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, August 18th, 19th and 20th. For particulars apply to the Hon. Secretary, 13 Galtrim road, Bray.—(Advt.)

TRAMORE LAWN TENNIS CLUB.
THE ANNUAL OPEN TOURNAMENT WILL BE HELD AUGUST 2nd TO 7th.
SEVEN EVENTS.
Entries Close SATURDAY, JULY 31st. Particulars from
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YESTERDAY'S CASES IN THE COURTS.

TRADING STOCK IN HAND.

CORK REVENUE CASE.

(BEFORE THE CHIEF JUSTICE, MR. JUSTICE FITZGIBBON and MR. JUSTICE MURNAGHAN.)

The hearing was resumed of the appeal by the plaintiffs in the case of Messrs. W. Green and Co., grain merchants and importers, of Cork, against the Revenue Commissioners, relating to excess profits, from a decision of Mr. Justice Sullivan and Mr. Justice O'Byrne in the High Court in favour of the defendants on a "case stated" by the latter, affirming the assessments, on the ground that goods comprised in some seven contracts of the plaintiff company were not trading stock in hand on August 31, 1921, within the meaning of Rule 1 of Part II. of the second schedule of the Finance Act, 1921, and must, therefore, be excluded from the appellants' claim for allowance of relief under that part of the second schedule.

During the food control period up to 31st March, 1921, cargoes of grain, it was stated, were distributed by the Wheat Commission between the appellants and Messrs. R. and H. Hall, Ltd., and Messrs. E. McDonnell and Co. The goods now in question were not in the actual possession of appellants or of Messrs. R. and H. Hall, Ltd., being abroad or at sea. The usual practice of the appellants was to include only stock actually paid for, but for the purpose of their claim they included the portions unsold on August 31, 1921, of all stock of which contracts had been signed on or before that date.

The question was whether the goods could be correctly described as trading stock in the hands of appellants under the circumstances mentioned.

Mr. Leonard, K.C., Mr. Carson, K.C., and Mr. Hallinan (instructed by Messrs. Foley and Emerson) appeared for the appellants; and Mr. McCann, K.C., Mr. Shannon, K.C., Mr. Bewley, K.C., and Mr. Lavery (instructed by Mr. Bartholomew Collins, Revenue Solicitor) for the Commissioners.

The arguments had not concluded when the Court rose.

A BURNED GATE LODGE.

LORD ROSSMORE'S APPEAL ALLOWED.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE SULLIVAN AND MR. JUSTICE O'BYRNE.)

An appeal was heard on behalf of Lord Rossmore against a dismiss by Judge Devitt of a claim made against the Monaghan County Council for £1,775 damages for the alleged malicious destruction by fire of a gate lodge on the Rossmore estate, Monaghan, on the 16th March, 1925.

It appeared that this gate lodge, besides being used on the estate, was also used as a sort of clubhouse by golfers, the other golf houses having been burned. There had been no fire or artificial lighting in the lodge, it was stated, when it was locked up the evening prior to the burning. The Circuit Judge said that he could not say that it had been proved to his satisfaction that the burning was the result of a malicious act, and accordingly dismissed the claim.

Having heard counsel,

Mr. Justice Sullivan said that they had come to the conclusion that the appeal must be allowed. They were satisfied on the evidence that the applicant had discharged the onus that was upon him of negativing accident. It had been proved that it was the intention of Lord Rossmore to employ an additional gamekeeper, who was to live in this pavilion, and the agent of the estate went to England to engage this man. It was significant that on the morning of the return of the agent the place was found to be burned out, although the new gamekeeper had not actually arrived at that time. The appeal would be allowed, with costs to Lord Rossmore in the Court below and on appeal. As Judge Devitt had not assessed the damage, they remitted the case to him to do so.

Mr. Price, K.C., and Mr. Russell (instructed by Mr. W. Martin) appeared for Lord Rossmore; and Mr. James Geoghegan, K.C., and Mr. Lavery (instructed by Mr. Henry Murphy) for the County Council.

Depending upon the result of this appeal are claims by over eighty of the golfers for compensation for loss sustained as a result of the fire.

SHAMROCK CYCLE SYNDICATE.

DEBENTURE HOLDER'S MOTION.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE MEREDITH.)

In the matter of Hardman v. the Shamrock Cycle Syndicate, an application was made on behalf of Mr. Gerald Tench, solicitor, a debenture holder of the company, for an order that the defendant, George Kernan, and his accountant, George Finney, be ordered to hand over the several ledgers and account books of the Shamrock Motor Works, and all income tax receipts and assessments.

The application was grounded on the affidavit of Mr. Gerald Tench, who stated that, as the holder of £500 second debentures and on behalf of the other second debenture holders, he was concerned as to the claim of the Income Tax Commissioners. He alleged that the company was always in an insolvent condition, and stated that in the years 1917 and 1918 he had an action pending to recover £500 and interest £300, and that in 1919 he accepted £400 in satisfaction of £800, besides over £100 in law costs. He referred to an account and balance sheet for 1919, in which it was set out that £184 19s. income tax had been paid, but according to the claim of the Inland Revenue this had not been paid, and the alleged profits of the company were disposed of, as alleged, by an item, "drawings of George Kernan, £2,074 14s. 10d.," followed by the item, "redemption of debenture of Gerald Tench, £400." If £2,074 was received by George Kernan, it was not, as alleged, applied in the discharge of the company's liabilities. The £400 paid to him (Mr. Tench) was borrowed from the Royal Bank, and, as the bank refused to advance further money, he advanced to George Kernan £500 upon other debentures, and from time to time advanced money to pay the weekly wages of the company, and he now alleged that there is over £800 due to him. Upon the accounts made out, the company was assessed at £790 for excess profits in 1918. From time to time the defendant had, as alleged, undertaken to bring in an account of the actual receipts and payments, and it was stated that he and his accountant had obtained form the receiver, Mr. David Telford, the ledgers and account books of the company for the purpose of making out some account.

Mr. Maloney (instructed by Mr. G. Tench), who appeared for the plaintiffs, said that this company was insolvent. It was subject to a very large claim in respect of excess profits duty and income tax, and for the purpose of keeping up a good appearance in the balance sheets profits were disclosed which were non-existent, and the company was assessed on non-existent profits. They wished to re-open all those assessments, and go into them, for the purpose of showing that the profits were illusory.

Mr. Joseph Tierney, solicitor, who appeared for Mr. Kernan and Mr. Finney, stated that the receiver handed over the books to his clients, because he (the receiver) would not prepare the accounts himself. After twelve months' labour his clients had now the accounts prepared, and there remained only six months, out of the seven years, to be accounted for.

Mr. Justice Meredith made an order allowing Mr. Kernan and his accountant until September 15th next to hand over the company's account books.

The Royal Bank and the Receiver were represented by Messrs. Orpen and Sweeny, solicitors.

WOLFHILL COLLIERIES.

LAND BANK'S APPLICATION.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE JOHNSTON.)

In the case of the National Land Bank, Ltd., against the Wolfhill Collieries, Ltd.,

Mr. Dickie, K.C., with whom was Mr. James Henry (instructed by Messrs. James O'Connor and Co.), on behalf of the plaintiffs applied for an order restraining Owen Kenna, Matthew Hughes, Thomas Brennan, Charles Sixsmith, Andrew Brennan, all of Wolfhill, and James Brown, Crettyard, Carlow, from trespassing, taking coal or interfering with or disposing of any of the property of the collieries. Counsel said that there was a debenture holders' action in connection with the collieries in which the National Land Bank, Ltd., were the plaintiffs, and they discovered some time ago that certain people in the neighbourhood of the colliery—which had stopped—were making a small colliery of their own, and taking up coal in various parts of the lands over which the Wolfhill Collieries, Ltd., had rights under a lease from Mr. Parkinson and other people. The plaintiffs had issued and attempted to serve notices of motion against the persons named, but owing to some difficulty they were only able to serve it on one—Charles Sixsmith—who was now present, and who said that he had his land bought under the Land Commission and had a right to the mines. That was not so in law, but, as there was only the one man in court, he asked his lordship to adjourn this motion until they were able to serve the other people.

Charles Sixmith, in reply to his lordship, said that he agreed to an adjournment, adding that he always had been a law-abiding citizen. He was informed that he was entitled to the coal, as he had bought the land out under the 1903 Act. He had done his best to find out who was the owner of the mine, and could not find out.

Mr. Justice Johnston advised Mr. Sixmith to go to a solicitor if he thought he had a case.

Mr. Sixmith—The mine is no use to me: it is only of use to the men working it. They are all starving; they are in a starving condition, with their wives and children. It is not worth as much as a match to me.

Mr. Dickie—What he wants to explain is that certain men who were working in the Wolfhill mines have nothing to do and are starting the mine on his land. What he means is he has no objection to them doing it, but if they have no right he will have to stop them doing it.

Mr. Justice Johnston said that he would allow the matter to stand until Thursday week.

BRITISH REVENUE.

RECEIPTS.

	Estimates for 1926-1927. £	April 1, 1926, to July 17, 1926. £
Customs	108,450,000	30,380,000
Excise	141,300,000	37,321,000
Motor Vehicle Duties	21,600,000	4,063,000
Estate, etc., Duties	66,000,000	16,070,000
Stamps	25,000,000	4,430,000
Land Tax, etc	1,000,000	120,000
Income Tax	254,000,000	41,389,000
Super Tax	64,500,000	15,820,000
Excess Profits Duty	2,000,000	—
Corporation Profits Tax	6,500,000	1,560,000
Post Office	59,400,000	14,650,000
Crown Lands	950,000	240,000
Interest on Loans	21,650,000	6,565,983
Miscellaneous—Ordinary Receipts	25,600,000	5,285,862
Special Receipts	26,000,000	6,692,237
Total	824,750,000	184,607,083

EXPENDITURE.

	Estimates for 1926-1927. £	April 1, 1926, to July 17, 1926. £
National Debt Services	364,000,000	135,505,381
Road Fund	17,500,000	3,462,044
Payments to Local Taxation	14,100,000	1,475,304
Payments to Northern Ireland	5,200,000	895,003
Other Consolidated Fund Services	2,600,000	1,067,333
Supply Services	417,241,000	118,425,200
Total	820,541,000	260,830,775

FREE STATE REVENUE.

A SUBSTANTIAL WEEK.

The Revenue of the Free State from April 1 to July 17 was £440,875 less than in the corresponding period of 1925. The Expenditure is £687,929 more. The figures for the two periods are:—

Revenue.		Expenditure.	
1926	£7,204,709	1926	£6,709,170
1925	7,645,584	1925	6,021,241
Decrease	£440,875	Increase	£687,929

LAST WEEK'S FIGURES.

The revenue last week was nearly £100,000 more than the preceding week, and £48,000 more than in the same week last year. Expenditure was heavy, being £532,480, as compared with £232,477 in the preceding week and nil in the same week last year. The figures for this year and last are:—

REVENUE.	Week Ending July 17, 1926.	Week Ending July 18, 1925
Customs	£165,000	£136,000
Excise	345,000	310,000
Motor Tax	3,000	3,000
Estate Duty	16,000	18,000
Stamps	5,000	8,000
Income Tax	107,000	119,000
Corporation Tax	15,000	17,000
Land and Sundry	3,365	8,747
Other Receipts	12,825	9,255
Total for Week	£682,190	£634,002
EXPENDITURE.		
Central Fund	£24,480	—
Supply Services	508,000	—
Total Expenditure	£532,480	—

EXCHEQUER BALANCE.

The Exchequer balance has been raised by the addition of £155,710 to £774,189, as compared with £2,601,033 in the same week last year.

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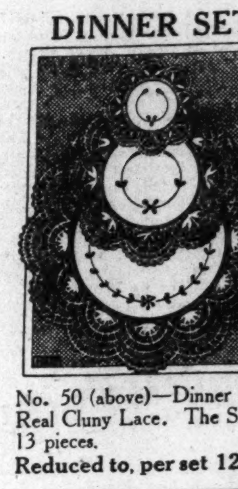

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